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When an old one dies
a library burns to the ground.

African Proverb

John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary JACKSON (1803-1869), Henrysburg
From Find-A-Grave

People don't normally get to choose their surname. Because of this, a general assumption can be made that all COCKERLINEs derived their surname from someone in a previous generation. But what do we know of these predecessors? If we are lucky enough to find our ancestors documented in the early census records, we have a once-in-a-decade snapshot of their lives. Unfortunately, we have nothing more than a snapshot! Like footprints on a sandy beach, the details about our ancestors' lives fade with each successive generation.

For COCKERLINEs trying to discover the origins of their surname, the task for us is perhaps easier than for people with surnames like SMITH or JONES. Our surname is an exceedingly rare surname. According to *Forebearers.io*, our surname is the 934,526th most common name in the English-speaking world. Essentially, it is a one-in-a-million surname. Worldwide in the year 2000, it is estimated there were fewer than 350 individuals who bore our surname. A century earlier, in the year 1900, there were just 175 COCKERLINEs. Using the very first every-person census records of 1841, the number of people who bore the COCKERLINE surname in 1841 has been determined to be a scant 124 individuals.

Given the small number of COCKERLINEs alive in 1841, we are provided a unique opportunity to tackle some questions about the surname. Where did the name come from? What was the origin of the surname? Did our surname have a unique origin? Or like the names BAKER, COOPER and WRIGHT, did our surname have multiple, indeterminate origins?

This first volume of this compendium is an effort to examine how closely interconnected the COCKERLINEs of 1841 were. Subsequent volumes will document all known COCKERLINEs in the 1700s (Volume 2) and the 1600s (Volume 3). Hopefully, this compendium will help answer some of the questions about the origins of the COCKERLINE surname.

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The compilation of any genealogical work is never the work of just one person. While I have organized and formatted this document, the content has been gleaned from innumerable sources. The many facts and details documented herein are the result of many people making an effort to discover one part of their respective family roots. Attributing credit to those who have laboured to unearth the many dates, facts, or sundry details about each ancestor has proven difficult to do.

Over the years, several people have worked to identify COCKERLINE in the 1841 census records. Calvin COCKERLINE did our first transcription of the 1841 census of England using microfiche resources at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints library in Salt Lake City, Utah. Subsequent transcriptions were done by Roger COCKERLINE who used the resources at Genealogy.com and by Christine ADAMS who used the census records at British Origins.

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The Significance & Limitations of the 1841 Census

Worldwide, in the year 1841, the COCKERLINE surname has been found in only three countries: England, Scotland, and Canada – all English speaking countries. While census taking in these countries was common, the significance of the 1841 census records for family historians is that 1841 was the earliest census to list the name of every man, woman and child in every household in the country.

By far, the majority of COCKERLINEs alive in 1841 were in England, mostly in Yorkshire. Just one family was in Scotland, one family was in Canada East (now called Quebec) and three families were in Canada West (now called Ontario). While some COCKERLINEs eventually migrated to Australia, New Zealand and the USA, these folks did not do so until after 1841.

The 1841 census of England, Scotland and Canada were remarkably similar in their structure and organization. All documented the following information:

- The name, age and sex of each person in every household in each electoral district;
- Location of the household (the community, street name, and the house number or house name);
- For people up to the age of 15, an exact age was usually reported. For those persons over 15 years of age, ages were expected to be rounded down to the nearest multiple of 5 (i.e. recorded as ‘60’ if their age was 60 - 64);
- Occupation / profession or trade;
- Birthplace of the person whether born in the county (England & Scotland) or province (Canada East, Canada West) where the census was taken. Many entries were simply noted as either "yes" or "no".

Buildings were recorded as being either inhabited or uninhabited. The end of the enumeration for each building was represented with two slashes //. The end of the enumeration for each family within a building was shown with one slash /.

The 1841 census of England covered the period between midnight on June 6th and midnight on June 7th. The date for the “1841” census of Canada is somewhat nebulous. An Act of Union had created the Province of Canada in September of 1841, but the execution of the census was to be complete by February 1st, 1842. Beyond the indeterminate date of the 1841/42 census of Canada, survival of the

actual records & thoroughness of the enumerators were far more problematic for researchers.

Less than half of the records for the 1841 census of Canada East and Canada West have survived. For example, the census for Canada West was divided in 17 census districts with a total of 154 sub-districts. Unfortunately, only about one-third of those records have survived (51 of the 154 sub-districts). In addition to the survival of the census records, the census effort was plagued with a poorly executed enumeration resulting in the census being retaken in the summer of 1844. None of the records for this re-census have been preserved and, as a research tool, we are left with only the partial records of the 1841/42 census (*Library & Archives Canada at www.bac-lac.gc.ca*).

Recognizing the COCKERLINE surname in the records

Identifying people in these census records has been dependent on several factors. The penmanship of the recorder greatly affects the readability of the records. For example, in one instance, the name COCKERLINE has been later transcribed as COCKERHUE.

The quality of paper and writing utensil used are other confounding factors. Time has aged the original documents and many are so faded that they are all but impossible to read. So when documents were imaged more than a century after the actual enumeration, the poor quality of some original documents has compounded the recognition of names.

The literacy and health of the enumerator and enumerated were also potential factors complicating the search for people in the records. While the literacy of the enumerator is perhaps an obvious factor in how surnames were recorded, general health is less obvious. Quebec and Ontario were an area of intense English, Irish & Scottish immigration in the mid-1800s. So imagine a French Canadian enumerator who was unfamiliar the thick regional accent of some of the people he was enumerating. Also consider many of the enumerated were illiterate and probably couldn't spell their own names. Then compound this with the possibility that numerous of these people might have had hearing problems or gum disease. Given the many factors that might have affected the recording of a name, it is surprizing that there were so few errors in the recording of people's names.

Sources used to augment the census records

Information about the COCKERLINEs identified in the 1841 census has been augmented by supplementary documentation, such as subsequent census

records, parish records, wills, family bibles, letters and newspapers. However, researching these COCKERLINEs involves data sources that are sometimes incomplete, ambiguous, or in some cases, downright wrong. Consider, for example, the death notice of a William COCKERLINE of Ruston, Yorkshire printed in the Hull Packet on October 10th, 1845. An examination of available records indicates that William's surname was actually COCKERILL, not COCKERLINE.

The different types of resources available vary through time and by location. Record sources after 1841 are generally more plentiful than record sources before 1841. For example, newspapers available in the decades after the 1841 census provide a significant resource that are all but non-existent for the decades before the 1841 census. Location has also been a factor. In an established society such as England in the mid-1800s, there was a protocol for storing church and civil documents. Canada, on the other hand, was a pioneer society that had not yet established widespread protocols for storing records. As such, many birth, marriage and death records of itinerate ministers and many wills have been lost. Even portions of the Canadian census records have been lost and or destroyed.

Errors in the census records

In cross-referencing the names in the 1841 census with other sources, a number of errors have been noted in the census records. In some cases, there have been COCKERLINEs identified in the census records for which no other reference can be found in parish records, newspapers, or subsequent census records. In some of these cases, there is the possibility that there had been a recording error. Such an example is suspected in the 1841 enumeration of David COCKERLINE, age 23, recorded as a male servant working for William JOHNSON of Sunk Island. No baptismal or burial records have been found, nor have any subsequent census record has been found to collaborate his surname in the 1841 census. This raises the possibility there had been an error in either the recording of his given name, his surname, or his age.

Most of the COCKERLINEs identified in this document were identified based on the 1841 census records, with only a few identified in other records. Several COCKERLINEs have been identified in parish records and in subsequent census records. Based on their age, they should have been documented in the 1841 census. Such is the case of all the COCKERLINEs in Canada. Census records for the areas where they were living have been lost or destroyed, but not finding

them in the census does not mean that they weren't there. We just don't have the census records to confirm their presence.

Errors, Corrections & Suggestions

This study is founded on data from the 1841 census. Where possible, all facts have been cross-referenced; however, the truth of the matter is that this body of work will be found to contain some discrepancies and errors. Comments about discrepancies, corrections, additions or other general suggestions can be sent to cockerline@gmail.com.

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This study was based on an examination of the COCKERLINE surname in the year 1841. It focuses on those who bore the surname COCKERLINE and does not consider whether an individual was adopted, illegitimate, or natural born. In conjunction with parish records, wills, and newspapers articles, every COCKERLINE known to be alive in the year 1841 has been identified. And there weren't that many! Just 124 individuals have been found!

The criteria for inclusion in this study were twofold. First and foremost, a person had to be identified and publicly known as a COCKERLINE. This criterion did result in a significant number of female COCKERLINEs being excluded. They had married before 1841 and, according to English custom, they had assumed the surname of their husband. As a result of their name change, none of the descendants of these married females bore the COCKERLINE surname. Some though were given the COCKERLINE name as a middle name – like Robert Cockerline HARMAN of Welwick, Yorkshire (b: 1812) and William Cockerline ACEY of Rimswell, Yorkshire (b: 1835).

The second criterion for inclusion in the study was that the individual had to be alive at some point between December 31st, 1840 and January 1st, 1842. The majority of the COCKERLINEs documented in this study were identified in the 1841 census of England. A few COCKERLINEs had been missed by the enumerators, but were identified in other records.

One case in point is that of mariners. There was no provision made in the census statutes for documenting those who were at sea. Seamen who were on shore leave the night of the census were enumerated in the same manner as anyone else in the general public. For this reason, a number of COCKERLINEs – like Master Mariner John COCKERLINE of Glasgow, Scotland – are missing from the 1841 census records. It is assumed he was at sea on the evening of June 6th, 1841.

A second source of difficulty occurred as a result of temporary situations. While the majority of the population was 'at home', a few individuals were transient, either for work or simply making a social visit. They were enumerated, although it seems the enumerator may not have clearly interpreted their name. Such is the case of Jane COCKERLINE, the wife of John COCKERLINE of Glasgow. She was enumerated under her maiden name while visiting her parents.

According to Worldometer (https://www.worldometers.info) the world population in 1850 has been estimated to have been about to the 1.2 billion people. Compared to that, the worldwide distribution of the COCKERLINE surname, there were just 124 individuals. Ponder that: 124 individuals in a population of 1.2 billion people. COCKERLINE is definitely a rare surname!

COCKERLINEs in the 1841 Census of England

The 1841 census of the UK covered the period between midnight on June 6th and midnight on June 7th, and provided the following information:

- The name of every individual who was resident in the household.
- Their location (the community, street name, and where applicable, the house number or house name of the household)
- The age and sex of each person. The exact age of people up to 15 years of age were generally listed exactly as reported. For those over 15 years of age, ages were supposed to be recorded to by 5 years intervals (i.e. 60 - 64).
- The occupation / profession or trade of each person.
- Whether or not the individual was born in the county where they resided. Unfortunately, most entries were simply noted as Born: “Yorkshire", or "yes" or "no".

Transcription of 1841 Census

The initial transcription for this study was done by Calvin COCKERLINE using microfiche in the LDS library. Subsequent transcriptions were done by:

* Roger COCKERLINE using the census records at Genealogy.com, and by
* Christine ADAMS

In the 1841 census of England, COCKERLINEs were enumerated in 34 households. Almost all of these were in the East Riding of Yorkshire. Outside the East Riding, just one household has been identified in the West Riding and one household in Lincolnshire. In earlier generations the surname had sporadically been noted in Lancashire and Middlesex but appears to have been absent from those regions at the time of the 1841 census.

Worldwide, the COCKERLINE surname would eventually spread to Australia, Canada, New Zealand, Scotland and the United States. In 1841, however, the surname was only noted in England, Scotland and Canada. Thirty-six of the identified households were in England. There was just one COCKERLINE family in Scotland and four COCKERLINE families in Canada.

COCKERLINEs in Holderness, Yorkshire

Holderness is an area along the east coast of England in the East Riding of Yorkshire. This rich agricultural land was marshland until it was drained in the Middle Ages. The area boundaries are The Wolds to the north and west, the North Sea to the east, and the Humber River to the south. Holderness may not be where the surname originated, it does seem this is where the "COCKERLINE" spelling originated.

Household #1	**Burton Pidsea**			
Burton Pidsea, a village 11 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1834 was 556. *Pigot's Directory*, 1834				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William CLAPHAM	45-49		Farmer	Yorkshire
Caroline CLAPHAM		25-29		Yorkshire
Sarah CLAPHAM		7 mo.		Yorkshire
Marmaduke JACKSON	20-24		Male Servant	Yorkshire
Thomas HYDE	18		Male Servant	Yorkshire
George HARRISON	15		Male Servant	Yorkshire
Robert TENNISON	17		Male Servant	Yorkshire
Ann COCKERLINE		**18**	**Female Servant**	**Yorkshire**
Jane HUNTER		20-24	Female Servant	Yorkshire
Ann THOMPSON		20-24	Female Servant	Yorkshire

This particular Ann COCKERINE is a bit of a mystery. Her age is very specific, indicating a birth date about 1822 plus of plus or minus a year. There is no record of an Ann / Hannah / Nancy COCKERLINE having been baptized in Yorkshire in this time period. For this reason, only one scenario seems feasible – that Ann COCKERLINE (née WILKINSON) was the wife of Thomas COCKERLINE (1818-1899) of Roos.

Baptized in Roos on March 3rd, 1822, Nancy was the daughter of Samuel WILKINSON & Hannah BEEL. In the 1841, 1861, & 1891 census records, her name was recorded as Nancy. In the 1851, 1871, & 1881 census records, her

name was recorded as Ann. She died in Roos on August 14th, 1913. From her memorial tombstone:

> In affectionate remembrance of Thomas COCKERLINE who died August 25 1899, aged 81 years. Thy will be done.
>
> Also Nancy COCKERLINE, relict of the above who died August 14th 1913, aged 91 years.

Household #2	**Halsham**			
Halsham, a village 13 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 315. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Thomas CHAMPNEY	25-29		Farmer	Yorkshire
Richard CHAMPNEY	15-19			Yorkshire
John KNIGHT	15-19		Male Labourer	Yorkshire
Francis ACEY	13		Male Labourer	Yorkshire
Nancy COCKERLINE		**40-44**	**Female Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Esther NICOLOSON		15-19	Female Labourer	Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:

Nancy is probably Ann COCKERLINE (1797-1866), the daughter of Thomas COCKERLINE & Ann WILSON of Holmpton. There is no record of Ann marrying before 1852 (age 55). She had one child, Matthew Bird COCKERLINE, born in 1832. In the 1841 census, her son Matthew (age 9) was living with the family of John FRENCH, an agricultural labourer. About 1850, Matthew emigrated to Canada where he apprenticed as a millwright. His mother remained in England.

In Withernwick on the December 25th 1852, Ann married Daniel MITCHELL, a blacksmith Aldbro'. She died in Skirlaugh in 1866.

Household #3	**Halsham**			
Halsham, a village 13 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 315. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William GILES	70-74		Farmer	Yorkshire
John GILES	25-29			Yorkshire
William GILES	20-24			Yorkshire
Sarah SMITH		20-24	Female Labourer	Yorkshire
Rose WATSON		15-19	Female Labourer	Yorkshire
John COCKERLINE	**15-19**		**Male Labourer**	**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:

John's identity is unknown. In the 1841 census, there were three people with the same name and of similar age [*Households #3, #21 & #25*]. At the current time, there is insufficient information to determine which of the three was in which household. See the sidebar, *The Trouble with John*, on page 63.

Household #4	**Holmpton**			
Holmpton, a small village 19 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 256. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William COCKALINE	**80-84**		**Agr. Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Ester COCKALINE		**80-84**		**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:

William & Ester are well documented. William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) married Esther BARRETT (1761-1845) at Welwick on May 17th, 1787. They had six children: Thomas (1788), Elizabeth (1789), Thomas (1792), William (1794), John (1797) and Esther (1801). Their first child died in infancy. The rest all living into their 70s and 80s.

Household #5	**Holmpton**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Robert FEASTON	35-39		Farmer	Yorkshire
Ann FEASTON		35-39		Yorkshire
John FEASTON	10-15			Yorkshire
Frederick FEASTON	10-15			Yorkshire
William FEASTON	10-15			Yorkshire
Ann FEASTON		10-15		Yorkshire
Robert FEASTON	20-25		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire
Thomas COCKALINE	**15-19**		**Ag Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Ann JACKSON		20-25	Female Servant	Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
This is Thomas COCKERLINE (1825-1850), the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE & Ann Jackson KEMP of Holmpton. Thomas (age 16) was not enumerated living with his parents in the 1841 census. Thomas died in 1850. From the 1850 Holmpton Parish Register of Burials:

Thomas Cockerline of Holmpton, buried May 27th, age 24 years

Household #6	**Holmpton**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Thomas COCKALINE	**81**		**Agr. Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Maria COCKALINE		**40-44**		**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:
This is Thomas COCKERLINE Jr (1759-1854), the son of Thomas COCKERLINE & Ann RICHARDSON of Welwick. In 1789, he married Ann WILSON of Hessle. They had 9 children, of whom Maria was the second youngest child. Thomas died in 1854. From the tombstone memorial in Holmpton:

In memory / of / Thomas Cockerline / who died 12th October 1854 / age 94 years.

Also Ann his wife / who died 9th January 1840 / age 78 years.

No tombstone for Maria has been found.

Household #7	**Holmpton**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William COCKALINE	**45-49**		**Shoemaker**	**Yorkshire**
Ann COCKALINE		**45-49**		**Yorkshire**
Henry COCKALINE	**13**		**Gentleman's Servant**	**Yorkshire**
Frederick COCKALINE	**1 1**		**Apprentice**	**Yorkshire**
Miles COCKALINE	**8**		**Apprentice**	**Yorkshire**
Catherine COCKALINE		**5**		**Yorkshire**
Richard WAKLIN	20-24		Shoemaker	Yorkshire
John MARSHALL	30-34		Coast Guard	Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
This is the family of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874). William was the son of William COCKERLINE & Ester BARRETT of Holmpton. In 1816, William Barrett COCKERLINE married Ann Jackson KEMP at Paul, ERY. They had nine children, four of whom were living at home with their parents in the 1841 census. William died in 1874. Ann died in 1889, From their memorial tombstone in St Nicolas churchyard in Holmpton:

> Sacred to the memory / of / William COCKERLINE / who died August 13th 1874 / aged 84 years.
> Also Ann his wife / who died March 13th 1889 aged 96 years
> Also Thomas COCKERLINE / son of the above / who died May 25th 1850 / aged 25 years

Household #8	**Humbleton**			
Humbleton, a small township 9 miles northeast of Kingston upon Hull. The population is 1835 was 136. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** **Male / Female**		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
James DIBNAH	40-44		Blacksmith	Yorkshire
Ann DIBNAH		40-44		Yorkshire
Thomas DIBNAH	15		Apprentice Carpenter	Yorkshire
Arthur DIBNAH	12			Yorkshire
Harold DIBNAH	11			Yorkshire
Herbert DIBNAH	4 mo.			Yorkshire
Matilda DIBNAH		15-19		Yorkshire
Sarah DIBNAH		9		Yorkshire
Louise DIBNAH		3		Yorkshire
Selina DIBNAH		1		Yorkshire
Anthony COCKERLINE	**15-19**		**Apprentice Blacksmith**	**Yorkshire**
Researcher's Note	Anthony COCKERLINE (1826-1901), the son of William COCKERLINE & Hannah WILSON.			

Researcher's Note:
This is Anthony COCKERLINE (1826-1901), the son of William COCKERLINE & Hannah WILSON of Ottringham. In the early 1850s, Hannah and 6 of her 7

Household #9	**Keyingham**			
Keyingham, a village 11 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 639. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Robert COCKERLINE	**50-54**		**Ag Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Mary COCKERLINE		**50-54**		**Yorkshire**
Elizabeth COCKERLINE		**13**		**Yorkshire**

children emigrated to Canada. In the 1851, 1861, and 1871 census for Canada West, Anthony was listed as a blacksmith in Hullett Township, Huron County, Ontario. In 1880, he went west and settled in Londesboro, Manitoba, Canada. He died in Pilot Mount, Manitoba in 1901.

Researcher's Note:
Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) was the son of William COCKERLINE & Elizabeth MOOTE. Born in Skeffling in 1786, Robert married Mary BURRELL at Keyingham in 1811. Robert & Mary had eight children, but in 1841 only daughter Elizabeth was living with them.

Mary died in Keyingham in 1852 and Robert died in Patrington in 1866. Both were buried in Keyingham.

Elizabeth, their daughter was born at Keyingham in 1827. In 1854, she married William KNAGGS. Both Elizabeth and her husband died in Ulrome, ERY in 1905.

Researcher's Note:
William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) was the son of the widow Isabel COCKERLINE (née HULL). In 1820, William married Hannah WILSON at Ottringham. Their son George was born at Sutton Bank in 1830. William died in Ottringham in August of 1841.

In the early 1850, Hannah and 5 of her 6 children emigrated to Canada. In the

Household #10	**Ottringham**			
Ottringham, a village 12 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 639. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William COCKERLINE	**50-54**		**Carrier**	**Yorkshire**
Hannah COCKERLINE		**40-44**		**Yorkshire**
George COCKERLINE	**1 1**			**Yorkshire**

1851, 1861, 1871, 1881 census for Canada West, Hannah was enumerated in Hullett Township, Huron County. She died there in 1888. George emigrated with his mother and settled in Blyth, Huron County where he died in 1897.

Household #11	**Ottringham**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male	Female	PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Robert COCKERLINE	**37**		**Gardener**	**Yorkshire**
Mercy COCKERLINE		**29**		**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:
Robert COCKERLINE Jr (1803-1857) was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Mary CHAPMAN (1760-1803) of Welwick. Robert Jr was born in Hollym cum Withernsea in 1803, but when his mother died, he was taken to Drypool, Hull where he was raised. In 1836, Robert Jr married Mercy HOBSON at Kingston upon Hull. He died in 1857 and was buried in Holmpton.

Household #12	**Ottringham**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Richard WEBSTER	61		Farmer	Yorkshire
Sarah WEBSTER		52		Yorkshire
Ann WEBSTER		29		Yorkshire
Mary Jane WEBSTER		25		Yorkshire
Harriet WEBSTER		20		Yorkshire
William COCKERLINE	**26**		**Male Servant**	**Yorkshire**
Susannah ELITSON		15	Female Servant	Yorkshire
Elizabeth BECRAFT		75	Widow	Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
William COCKERLINE's identity is uncertain. While his birth date is specifically stated, the first digit of his age is difficult to read. It has been interpreted by some as a 1 (i.e. 16), but to this researcher, it looks more likely to be a 2 (26). There was a William Thomas COCKERLINE baptized in ROOS in 1826, the son of William COCKERLINE, a tailor in ROOS.

Other than this entry, there is no other entry in the 1841 census that is a likely fit for William Thomas COCKERLINE. For this reason, it is believed that this was William Thomas COCKERLINE of Roos.

Household #13			**Owthorne**	
Owthorne, an ancient village, is about 17 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 143. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Peter ATKINSON	50		Farmer	Yorkshire
Mary ATKINSON		50		Yorkshire
Hannah ATKINSON		21		Yorkshire
Mary ATKINSON		20		Yorkshire
Elizabeth ATKINSON		18		Yorkshire
Peter ATKINSON	17			Yorkshire
Margaret ATKINSON		8		Yorkshire
Eliza ATKINSON		4		Yorkshire
John COCKERLINE	**57**		**Ag Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
* There are 13 other servants and labourers enumerated at this farm				

Researcher's Note:
John COCKERLINE is an enigma. While his age is specifically stated, how he fits into the overall COCKERLINE family tree is unknown. A burial record indicates he died in Ottringham in 1849. His death certificate indicates this was likely the same person identified in the 1841 census; he was a labourer, age 64.

There was a likely baptism recorded in the 1784 Hollym cum Withernsea parish records;

1784 Apr 13, John son of John COKERLINE of Nevil's, lab, bapt

However, how "John COCKERLINE of Nevil" fits into the overall COCKERLINE family tree is unknown.

Household #14	**Patrington, Haven Side**			
Patrington, is an ancient town, 16 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. Population in 1835 was 1,244. Lewis's *Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Marmaduke WILKIN	25-29		Shoemaker	Yorkshire
Harriet WILKIN		25-29		Yorkshire
David WILKIN	6			Yorkshire
George WILKIN	5 mo.			Yorkshire
William COCKERLINE	**20-24**		**Journeyman Shoemaker**	**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:
William COCKERLINE (1818-1888) the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE & Ann Jackson KEMP of Holmpton.

Household #15	**Patrington, East End**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
John FRENCH	50		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire
Eleanor FRENCH		59		Yorkshire
Samuel FRENCH	33		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire
George FRENCH	28		Male Servant	Yorkshire
Maria FRENCH		26	Char Woman	Yorkshire
Matthew COCKERLINE	**9**			**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:
Matthew Bird COCKERLINE (1832-1901) was the son of Ann COCKERLINE (1797-1866) of Patrington.

Household #16	**Patrington, Holmes House**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
George MARSHALL	45-49		Farmer	Yorkshire
Hannah COAKWELL		35-39	Female Servant	Yorkshire
Rose NORTHGRAVES		18	Female Servant	Yorkshire
Sarah HARMAN		15-19	Female Servant	Yorkshire
William COCKERLINE	**20-24**		**Male Servant**	**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:
William COCKERLINE is thought to be the son of William COCKERLINE & Hannah WILSON of Ottringham. There are no subsequent enumerations in English census records as he was enumerated in Huron County in Lower Canada in the 1851 and subsequent census records.

Household #17 Patrington Union Workhouse				
Patrington Union Workhouse was a poorhouse that accommodated up to 120 residents who were hired out as farm labourers. https://www.workhouses.org.uk				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Joseph WING	36		Master	Yorkshire
Mary WING		50-54	Matron	Yorkshire
Hannah MARSHALL		21	School Mistress	Yorkshire
William COCKERLINE	**14**		**Inmate**	**Yorkshire**
George COCKERLINE	**30-34**		**Inmate**	**Yorkshire**
* There were 70 other inmates enumerated at this workhouse				

Researcher's Note:
William Hindes COCKERLINE (1828-1873) was the son of Mary Ann COCKERLINE of Patrington, ERY. In the 1871 census, William was noted as being blind. William died in 1873. From *The Hull Packet and East Riding Times* (Hull, ENGLAND), Friday, February 14, 1873; Issue 4597:

> Deaths: COCKERLINE - Feb 6th, at Hull, aged 46 years, Mr. William COCKERLINE

George COCKERLINE (1806-1853), the son of John COCKERLINE & Catherine AKE of Welwick. George died in 1853. From the 1853 Welwick Parish Register of Burials:

> George COCKERLINE, Welwick, buried 25 May, age 46

Household #18		**Roos**		
Roos, a village 15 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. Population in 1835 was 640. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William COCKERLINE	**45-49**		**Tailor**	**Yorkshire**
Mary COCKERLINE		**40-44**		**Yorkshire**
Charloote COCKERLINE		**18**		**Yorkshire**
Jemina COCKERLINE		**12**		**Yorkshire**
Maria COCKERLINE		**7**		**Yorkshire**
Matthew COCKERLINE	**5**			**Yorkshire**
Harriet COCKERLINE		**3**		**Yorkshire**
Researcher's Note	William COCKERLINE (1795-1841), the son of Thomas COCKERLINE & Ann WILSON of Holmpton. William married Mary ELLARBY at Roos, ERY in 1823.			

Researcher's Note:
William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) was the son of Thomas COCKERLINE & Ann WILSON of Holmpton. At Roos, ERY in 1823, William married Mary ELLARBY. Over the next two decades, they had 10 children. William died at Roos. From the 1841 Parish Register of Burials for Roos:

William Cockerline of Roos, Oct 7th (buried)

Household #19		**Roos**		
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Samuel WILKINSON	44		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire
Hannah WILKINSON		44		Yorkshire
Jane WILKINSON		7		Yorkshire
Jemina WILKINSON		4		Yorkshire
Jane BEAL		4		Yorkshire
Thomas COCKERLINE	**21**		**Ag Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Nancy COCKERLINE		**19**		**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:
Thomas COCKERLINE (1818-1899) was the son of William COCKERLINE & Tomlinson SIMPSON of Preston by Hedon. Thomas married Ann (Nancy)

Household #20	**Skeffling**			
Skeffling is 20 miles southeast of Kingston upon Hull. The village is about 1/2mile from the Humber and 3 miles from the sea. The population in 1835 was 200. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Christopher JEFFERSON	27		Farmer	Yorkshire
Elizabeth JEFFERSON		27		Yorkshire
Christopher JEFFERSON	1			Yorkshire
Mary WALKER		16	Female Servant	Yorkshire
Mary COCKERLINE		**15**	**Female Servant**	**Yorkshire**
John FENWICK	18		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire
Robert CARRICK	18		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire
George HESK	13		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire

WILKINSON at Roos in 1841.

Researcher's Note:
This is likely to be Mary Ann COCKERLINE of Roos, the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865).

Household #21	**Sunk Island**			
Sunk Island, located about 20 miles east southeast of Kingston upon Hull, is an area of fertile agricultural land reclaimed from the mouth of the Humber River. The population is 1835 was 264. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male	Female	PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Thomas BUNILL	35-39		Farmer	Yorkshire
[can't read name] BUNILL		25-29		Yorkshire
Ann BUNILL		7		Yorkshire
George BUNILL	5			Yorkshire
Mary BUNILL		3		Yorkshire
Jane BUNILL		6 mo.		Yorkshire
John COCKERLINE	**15-19**		**Male Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Elizabeth JACKSON		15-19	Female Labourer	Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
John COCKERLINE's identity is unknown. See the sidebar, *The Trouble with John,* on page 63.

Household #22	**Sunk Island**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William JOHNSON	27		Farmer	Yorkshire
Elizabeth JOHNSON		20		Yorkshire
Caroline JOHNSON		20		Yorkshire
David COCKERLINE	**23**		**Male Servant**	**Yorkshire**
* There were 7 other servants enumerated at this farm				

Researcher's Note:

This David COCKERLINE is a mystery. Born about 1817, there is no baptismal record found for him in England, nor any subsequent marriage or burial. There was a David COCKERLINE born at Patrington in 1810, but in the 1841 census, he was enumerated at Drypool. Based on the fact there are no other civil, church or census records to collaborate the existence of this particular individual, the assumption is that the enumerator's erred in recording of this person's surname.

Household #23 Weeton, Hamlet Street				
Weeton is a small hamlet about ½ mile southeast of Welwick. Lewis's 1835 *Topographical Dictionary of England* included its population count as part of Welwick.				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
John AKE	**40-44**		**Joiner**	**Yorkshire**
Elizabeth AKE		**40-44**		**Yorkshire**
Sarah AKE		**12**		**Yorkshire**
Frank AKE	**6**			**Yorkshire**
Thomas SINGLETON	2			Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
John AKE – also known as John COCKERLINE and as John COCKERLINE-AKE – was the illegitimate son of John COCKERLINE & Catherine AKE. John AKE married Elizabeth MASON at Welwick in 1829. While John was baptized as John AKE, he and his family were variously identified as COCKERLINE and COCKERLINE-AKE in subsequent records.

Table #24	**Welwick Village**			
Welwick is a village about 20 miles southeast of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 410. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** **Male / Female**		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Thomas COCKERLINE	**35-39**		**Innkeeper**	**Yorkshire**
Hannah COCKERLINE		**35-39**		**Yorkshire**
George COCKERLINE	**14**			**Yorkshire**
Ann COCKERLINE		**12**		**Yorkshire**
Catharine COCKERLINE		**9**		**Yorkshire**
Thomas COCKERLINE	**4**			**Yorkshire**
John COCKERLINE	**2**			**Yorkshire**
Anthony COCKERLINE	**4 mo.**			**Yorkshire**
Martin COCKERLINE	**40-44**			**Yorkshire**
William COCKERLINE	**30-34**		**Servant**	**Yorkshire**
Researcher's Note	The family of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-1860).			

Researcher's Note:

Thomas COCKERLINE was the son of John COCKERLINE & Catherine AKE. Born in Welwick in 1801, he married Hannah SIMPSON in 1825. Over the next 15 years, they had 6 children. Thomas died in Welwick in 1871. From the Hull Packet, Friday, July14th 1871

> Deaths: July 3rd, at Welwick, aged 70 years, Mr Thomas Cockerline, many years landlord of the Wheat Sheaf Inn.

Brothers Martin and William were enumerated in the same household as Thomas. Martin was baptized Martin AKE, but his parents, John COCKERLINE & Catherine AKE, married the following day. In subsequent records, Martin was referred to as Martin COCKERLINE. He died in Welwick. From the 1867 Parish Register of deaths for Welwick:

> Martin COCKERLINE of Welwick died 04 Dec 1867, age 68

Brother William died in 1852. From the 1852 Parish Register of deaths for Welwick:

> William COCKERLINE, Welwick, buried Aug 28 1852, age 41

According to his death certificate, he died of cholera.

Household #25	**Welwick Village**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Thomas B BARON	60-64		Farmer	Yorkshire
George CURTIS	25-29		Servant	Yorkshire
John COCKERLINE	**15-19**		**Servant**	**Yorkshire**
Hogram SMITH	15-19		Servant	Yorkshire
Hannah GARTON		40-45	Servant	Yorkshire
Mary FOSTER		14	Servant	Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
John COCKERLINE's identity has not yet been determined. There were 3 John COCKERLINEs baptized in the early 1820 and there is no information in this or subsequent census enumerations to link any of the 3 to this particular enumeration. See the sidebar, *The Trouble with John*, on page 63.

COCKERLINEs in the greater Hull area

Household #26	**Anlaby**			
Anlaby is a small village about 5 miles west south west of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 307. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Edmund COCKERLINE	**30-34**		**Joiner**	**Yorkshire**
Eliza COCKERLINE		**30-34**		**Yorkshire**
Betsy COCKERLINE		**3 mo.**		**Yorkshire**
Charles CATON	1 1			Yorkshire
Researcher's Note	Edmund COCKERLINE (1811-1868) was the son of Robert COCKERLINE & Mary PRESTON of Patrington. Edmund married Eliza CATON in Hull in 1840.			

Researcher's Note:
John COCKERLINE (1811-1868) was the son of Robert COCKERLINE & Mary PRESTON of Patrington. Edmund married Eliza CATON in Hull in 1840.

Household #27	**Drypool, Marvel Street**
Drypool, about 1 mile east of Hull city center, is considered to be part of Kingston upon Hull. Its population in 1835 was 1409. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835	

NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Elizabeth COCKERLINE		**66**	**No Occupation Stated**	**Yorkshire**
Mary COCKERLINE		**34**	**No Occupation Stated**	**Yorkshire**
David COCKERLINE	**30**		**Ag Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Emanuel COCKERLINE	**28**		**Ag Labourer**	**Yorkshire**
Samuel COCKERLINE	**25**		**Ag Labourer**	**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:
Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857) was the widow of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839), a brewer in Hull. Married at Drypool in 1804, Robert & Elizabeth had 7 children. Four of the children were living with their mother in the 1841 census.

Household #28	**Hedon, St Augustine Gate**			
Hedon, or Heydon in earlier times, was an incorporated town about 6 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 998. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Robert COCKERLINE	**30-34**		**Inn Keeper**	**Yorkshire**
Sarah COCKERLINE		**30-34**		**Yorkshire**
Easter COCKERLINE		**8**		**Yorkshire**
George COCKERLINE	**6**			**Yorkshire**
William COCKERLINE	**4**			**Yorkshire**
John COCKERLINE	**1**			**Yorkshire**
John DEARING	60-64			Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864) was the son of Robert COCKERLINE & Mary PRESTON of Sculcoates, ERY. Robert married Sarah ROBINSON at Hedon in 1832.

Household #29	**Hull, Blanket Row**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
John COCKERLINE	**58**		**Butcher**	**Yorkshire**
Mary COCKERLINE		**57**		**Yorkshire**
Amelia COCKERLINE		**20-24**		**Yorkshire**
John COCKERLINE		**20-24**	**Butcher**	**Yorkshire**
Christiana COCKERLINE		**15-19**		**Yorkshire**

Researcher's Note:

John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) was son of Edmund Bride COCKERLINE & Isabel HULL of Easington, ERY. John married the widow Mary Ann THOMPSON at Myton in 1813. Over the course of the next decade, they had five children. Their first two children died in infancy. The surviving three children were enumerated with the family in the 1841 census.

Household #30	**Hull, Humber Dock Street**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** **Male / Female**		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William HUNTER	25-29		Master Mariner	Yorkshire
Elizabeth HUNTER		20-24		Yorkshire
Ann HUNTER		6		Yorkshire
James COCKERLINE	21		Hair Cutter	Yorkshire
Mary COCKERLINE		24		Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
James COCKERLINE (1820-1851) was the son of Robert COCKERLINE & Elizabeth ATKINSON of Holmpton. James married Mary ROBINSON at Sculcoates in 1840. In addition to being a hair cutter, James was also a musician. In the 1851 census, James was enumerated in London. Mary died there in 1844. James died there in 1851.

Household #31	**Hull, Portland Place**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** **Male / Female**		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Thomas WEBSTER	25-29		Merchant	Yorkshire
Betsey WEBSTER		20-24		Yorkshire
Elizabeth WEBSTER		70-74	Widow	Yorkshire
Sarah BENTLEY		13		Yorkshire
Eliza COCKERLINE		15-19	Female Servant	Yorkshire
Researcher's Note	Eliza COCKERLINE (1823-1902), the daughter of William Barrett COCKERLINE and Ann JACKSON KEMP of Holmpton.			

Researcher's Note:
Eliza COCKERLINE (1823-1902) was the daughter of William Barrett COCKERLINE and Ann JACKSON KEMP of Holmpton. In an 1844 letter from her

father William to her uncle John COCKERLINE in Henrysburg, Lower Canada, William indicated Eliza was a Nursing Maid in Hull.

Household #32	**Myton, 187 Osborne Street**			
Myton, about 1 mile west of Hull city center, is considered to be part of Kingston upon Hull.				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Mary COCKERLINE		55-59	Widow	Yorkshire
James COCKERLINE	25-29		Butcher	Yorkshire
George COCKERLINE	20-24		Cork Cutter	Yorkshire
Charles COCKERLINE	15-19		Labourer	Yorkshire
William COCKERLINE	15-19		Cabinet Maker	Yorkshire
Isabella COCKERLINE		10-14		Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
Mary PRESTON (1784-1872) was the widow of Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833), a brewer in Sculcoates. Married in 1802, Robert & Mary had 12 children over the next two decades. Five of their children were living with their widowed mother in the 1841 census.

Household #33	**Preston by Hedon**			
Preston is about 7 miles east of Kingston upon Hull. The population in 1835 was 828. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
William COCKERLINE	50-54		Ag Labourer	Yorkshire
Tomlison COCKERLINE		50-54		Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) was the son of Thomas COCKERLINE & Hannah HODGSON of Preston by Hedon. William married Tomlinson SIMPSON at Leven, ERY in 1809. Over the course of the next two decades, they had ten children. Seven of their children died before the 1841 census. Surviving sons James, Thomas, and William were enumerated in different households in the 1841 census.

Household #34	**Sculcoates, Sylvester Street**			
Sculcoates, about 2 miles north of Hull city center, is considered to be part of Kingston upon Hull. Its population in 1835 was 798. *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
John COCKERLINE	30-34		Tailor	Yorkshire
Frances COCKERLINE		30-34		Out of County
Mary COCKERLINE		10		Out of County
Ann COCKERLINE		7		Yorkshire
Robert COCKERLINE	5			Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:
John COCKERLINE (1807-1867) was the son Robert COCKERLINE & Mary PRESTON of Sculcoates. John married Frances MAY at Hull in 1830. They had three children prior to the census. A fourth child, John, was born a few months after the census was taken.

COCKERLINEs in West Yorkshire

The West Riding of Yorkshire was not an area where COCKERLINEs have been documented prior to the 1841 census. There was; however, a COCKAINE family in the west riding in the 1680s. From the parish register for Sheffield, this entry:

1685 June 5th - infans Will'mi Cawthorn et Michael fil' Geo COCKAINE, buried

Was this COCKAINE reference a regional phonetic of COCKERLINE? Maybe. Maybe not.

Household #35 Sheffield, Bailey Street				
Sheffield in West Yorkshire is an ancient city that has been inhabited for at least 13,000 years. After the Norman Conquest, a small community developed which gradually evolved into a market town. In the 1300s, Sheffield became known for its production of knives and by the 1600s, it was the second largest producer of cutlery in England. An economic recession in the early 1800s lead to poor living condition culminating in the 1832 cholera epidemic that killed 400 people. The population is 1835 was 42,157 Wikipedia.org *Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of England*, 1835				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Mary HEATHON		40-44	Shoe Binder	Yorkshire
Elizabeth BURGOIN		15-19		Yorkshire
Elizabeth BURGOIN		9		Yorkshire
Thomas COCKALINE	49		Shoemaker	Yorkshire

Researcher's Note:

Thomas COCKERLINE was the son of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840). Note 2 Marriages

COCKERLINEs in Lincolnshire

While the COCKERLINE surname seems to have originated in the east Riding of Yorkshire, COCKERLINEs have been found in Lincolnshire records as early as 1722. In the mid- and late-1700s several COCKERLINEs had been noted just across the Humber River in such places as Irby upon Humber and Barton upon Humber, and also further south in Caister. For whatever reason, the COCKERLINE surname seems to have disappeared from Lincolnshire in the mid-1800, with only one COCKERLINE being noted in the 1841 census for

Household #36 St. Swithin, Sincil Street				
St Swithin is a town in Lincolnshire, about 50 miles due south of Kingston upon Hull. The population of St Swithin in 1841 was 2,535. White's *History, Gazetteer and Directory of Lincolnshire*, 3rd edition, 1872				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** **Male / Female**		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
George KELLERBY	35-39		Shoemaker	Lincolnshire
Mary Ann KELLERBY		30-34		Lincolnshire
Charles KELLERBY	7			Lincolnshire
Maria KELLERBY		2		Lincolnshire
Mary Ann KELLERBY		1		Lincolnshire
Robert COCKALINE	20-24		Shoemaker	Out of County

Lincolnshire.

Researcher's Note:
Robert COCKERLINE was the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1821-1898) & Ann Jackson KEMP (1822-1890) of Holmpton.

COCKERLINEs Missing from the 1841 Census of England

Eleven "COCKERLINEs" were known to be alive in 1841 but, for whatever reason, have not yet been identified in the 1841 census records. These individuals have been found in other records and, based on the context of these records, they should have been enumerated in the 1841 census. The reasons for not being enumerated are numerous; however, as these inconsistencies have been previously noted (page 14), they are not repeated here.

Individuals who should have been documented in the 1841 census of England include:

- Frances "Fanny" COCKERLINE (née BEWELL) was identified in the 1851 census. No COCKERLINE-BEWELL marriage record has been found, so it is not known which COCKERLINE she might have married. Fanny BEWELL has been identified in Keyingham in the 1841 census, so it is *presumed* her marriage date was after the 1841 census date.

- Henry COCKERLINE (1828-1898) was the son of Robert & Mary COCKERLINE of Sculcoates. Henry was a mariner, so was likely at sea at the time of the census.

- Hepsibah COCKERLINE (1824-1911) married at Drypool in October of 1842, so was likely in the area at the time of the 1841 census; however, she has not yet been identified in the 1841 census records.

- James COCKERLINE (1816-1890) was the son of Thomas & Tomlinson of Preston by Hedon. He was a mariner, so was likely at sea at the time of the 1841 census.

- Joseph COCKERLINE (1841-1841) was the son of Mary Ann COCKERLINE of Patrington. He was baptized and buried in the first quarter of 1841, before the date of the 1841 census.

- Mary COCKERLINE née SHARPE (1822-1873) was the wife of James COCKERLINE (1816-1890). Married in 1st quarter of 1841, she should have been in the 1841 census.

- Robert COCKERLINE (1833-1891) was enumerated in the 1851 census as a servant in the household of Henry LUMBERT of Keyingham. He has not

been identified in the 1841 census.

- Robert COCKERLINE (unknown-unknown) has been identified only by an 1822 marriage to Mary Ann ENGLAND of Humbleton, ERY. The identity of this Robert COCKERLINE is uncertain, but thought to be Robert COCKERLINE (1803-1857) of Ottringham.

- William COCKERLINE (1802-1845) was identified in an 1845 death notice in a Hull newspaper. The surname, however, is suspect as no birth or death records have been found for him.

Two individuals were born in 1841, but after the 1841 census of England was conducted. These were:

- Elizabeth COCKERLINE (1841-1897) was the daughter of James COCKERLINE (1816-1890) and Mary SHARPE (1822-1873) of Sculcoates. Elizabeth's birth was registered at Sculcoates in the 3rd quarter of 1841. As such, her birth date was after the June 7th date of the 1841 census.

- John COCKERLINE (1841-1864) was born in September of 1841, hence would not have been included in the June 7th enumeration of the 1841 census.

COCKERLINEs in the 1841 Census of Scotland

In 1841, only one COCKERLINE family has been documented as being in Scotland – the family of master seaman John COCKERLINE. He himself has not been found in the 1841 census and is presumed to have been at sea at the time of the enumeration. His wife and daughter, however, were enumerated in

Household #37	**North Basin Street, Falkirk**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Agness GARDNER	35-39		Captain's Wife	Stirlingshire
Jane MURRAY		19		Stirlingshire
William MURRAY	13			Stirlingshire
Agness MURRAY		7		Stirlingshire
Robert MURRAY	4			Stirlingshire
Catherine MURRAY		3		Stirlingshire
Betsy COCKERLINE		7 mo.		Stirlingshire

Falkirk, Stirlingshire.

Researcher's Note:
In the early records for Scotland, it was not uncommon for married women to be noted by their maiden name. While children took their father's surname, wives

often did not. In this case, Jane MURRAY was the wife of master seaman John COCKERLINE (1816-1851). Jane's mother, Agnes GARDNER was the wife of Captain Robert MURRAY (1800-1860).

COCKERLINEs Missing from the 1841 Census of Scotland

Individuals who should have been documented in the 1841 census include:

- **John COCKERLINE (1816-1851)** – John COCKERLINE (1816-1851) was a master seaman sailing out of Glasgow. As there was no provision in the census regulations for registering those who were at sea, it is presumed that he was not enumerated for this reason. His wife and child, however, were enumerated as noted above. John died at sea on March 7th, 1851. His wife died at some point before the 1851 census (undocumented).

COCKERLINEs in the 1841 Census of Canada

No COCKERLINEs have been identified in the 1841/42 census records. The absence of any COCKERLINEs from the census records relates to issues with the execution of the census itself and to the survival of the original records. These issues have been identified previously (*The Significance of the 1841 Census Records*, pg. 11). This being stated, four COCKERLINE households are known to have been present in Canada at the time of 1841 census. What is presented here is a reconstituted account based on church and civil records for the period 1833-1841 combined with data from the 1851 census records.

COCKERLINEs in the 1841 Census of Canada East

Household #38 Seigneurie of LaColle, Quebec				
In 1842, the population was too disperse to count as a distinct community. In 1851, the population of the seigneurie was 3483. https://www.many-roads.com/2010/07/06/lacolle-quebec-a-brief-history/				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male / Female		PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
John COCKERLINE	40-45		Farmer	England
Mary COCKERLINE		35-39		England
Anne COCKERLINE		18		England
Esther COCKERLINE		16		England
Willie COCKERLINE	1 1			England
John COCKERLINE	9			England
Mary COCKERLINE		6		Lower Canada
Elizabeth COCKERLINE		3		Lower Canada
Charles COCKERLINE		0		Lower Canada

Researcher's Note:

John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) was the son of William & Esther COCKERLINE of Holmpton [Household #4]. In 1823, John married Mary JACKSON of Easington. In 1833 John, his wife Mary, and their four children immigrated to Canada. After a 63 day voyage, they arrived in New York City on November 21st, 1833, then headed north to Bogton in Lower Canada. Son Charles was born in LaColle in 1841, so the family should have been enumerated there.

COCKERLINEs in the 1841 Census of Canada West

Two-thirds of 1841 census of Canada records no longer exist as the pages have been lost or destroyed. What is presented is a hypothetical / reconstituted record based on church & civil records for the period 1833-1841.

Household #39 Thornhill, Canada West				
The population of Thornhill in 1848 was approximately 700 https://www.vaughan.ca/services/vaughan_archives/historyofvaughan/				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male	Female	PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Thomas COCKERLINE	40-45		Tailor	England
Martha COCKERLINE		35-39		England

Researcher's Note:
Thomas COCKERLINE (1794-1869) was the son of William & Esther COCKERLINE of Holmpton [Household #4]. Thomas COCKERLINE immigrated to Canada in 1833 on the same ship as his brother John. Thomas married in Thornhill in 1839 and was noted there is subsequent census records, so the family should have been enumerated there.

Household #40	**Norwood, Canada West**			
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male	Female	PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Matthew COCKERLINE	40-45		Millwright	England

Researcher's Note:
Matthew COCKERLINE (1802-1878) was the son of Thomas & Ann COCKERLINE of Holmpton [Household #5]. He immigrated to Canada in 1830 along with his two brothers Robert & William. In Early Post Offices of Pickering Township, it states, "In 1840 an Englishman named Matthew Cockerline constructed a mill on Duffin's Creek there." Based on this, he should have been enumerated there in the 1841 census

Household #41 East Gwillambury, Canada West				
NAME of each person who abode therein the preceding night	**AGE & SEX** Male	Female	PROFESSION, TRADE, or EMPLOYMENT	WHETHER BORN in the COUNTY
Robert COCKERLINE	45-49		Farmer	England

Researcher's Note:
Robert COCKERLINE (1793-1877) was the son of Thomas & Ann COCKERLINE of Holmpton [Household #5]. He immigrated to Canada in 1830 along with his brothers Robert & William. He has been identified in the 1851, 1861 & 1871 census records, but not in 1841. However, he should have been enumerated in the 1841 census for East Gwillambury as he bought 200 acres at Lot 7, Concession 8 on July 28, 1834 (Source: Hugh FRASER).

Profiles

These profiles are not exhaustive. There has been no attempt to include every fact known about each person's life. Rather, the emphasis has been to link the data from various sources so that each person's connection to the overall COCKERLINE family tree can be confidently establish.

Documentation in the form of footnotes is conspicuously absent from this work. The inclusion of proper annotation of every date and event would have required a disproportionate amount of space and, in all likelihood, probably would not be examined. In lieu of footnoting, references to events, dates and places have been sufficiently identified so that anyone wanting to find the documentation may easily do so by using the resources at various genealogy websites (e.g. Ancestry, FindMyPast, FamilySearch).

Agnes (Betsy) COCKERLINE (1840-1895)

Agnes COCKERLINE [Household #37] was the first-born child of John COCKERLINE (1816-1851), a mariner sailing out of Glasgow, Scotland, and his wife Jane MURRAY (abt 1821-1850). No baptismal records have yet been found, but in the 1841 and 1851 census of Scotland, Agnes (age 7 months & 10 years respectively) was enumerated living with her maternal grandparents in Falkirk, Stirlingshire. On August 24th, 1869, she married James ARMSTRONG (1843-unknown), an engine fitter.

In the 1871 census, Agnes and her husband were enumerated in the Tradeston district of Glasgow. In the 1891 census, the couple was enumerated on Peel Street, Westgate, Newcastle upon Tyne in Northumberland, England. She died there at some point in the 1st quarter of 1895. The couple had no known children.

Amelia COCKERLINE (1817-1874)

Amelia COCKERLINE [Household #29] was baptized at Holy Trinity Church in Hull on May 16th, 1817. She was the daughter of John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) & Mary Ann THOMPSON (1783-1846). At the time of the 1841 census, she was enumerated living at home with her parents. On August 16th, 1846, she married Joseph WYATT (1821-1896). From the August 21st, 1846 edition of The Hull Packet and East Riding Times:

> Marriages: August 16, at the Holy Trinity Church, by the Rev. R. ATTHILL, Mr. Joseph WYATTS to Amelia, eldest daughter of Mr. John COCKERLINE, butcher, all of this town.

In the 1851 census Amelia was enumerated by herself at Sutton Lane in Sutton, ERY while her husband, a butler, was enumerated at Sutton House in Sutton where he served as a servant to George LIDDELL. In 1861, they were living in Sutton, ERY. In the 1871 census, Amelia and her husband (a coachman) were enumerated living at Emma's Place on Temperance Street in Kingston upon Hull. They had no children. Amelia died in Sculcoates in the 2nd quarter of 1874. It is not known where she was buried.

Ann COCKERLINE née KEMP (1794-1889)

Seamstress in Holmpton, East Riding Yorkshire

Ann Jackson KEMP [Household #6] was the wife of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874). The daughter of William KEMP, she was baptized at Ottringham, ERY on June 22nd, 1794. At Paull, ERY on April 8th, 1816, she

married William COCKERLINE, a shoemaker from Holmpton. They had 9 children: John (1816); William (1818); Robert (1821); Eliza (1823); Thomas (1825); Henry (1827); Frederick (1830); Miles (1832); & Catherine (1835).

In the 1841, 1851, 1861, & 1871 census, she was enumerated in Holmpton with her husband and children. After her husband died in 1874, she continued to live in Holmpton working as a seamstress. In the 1881 census, she was enumerated there living with her 2 youngest children, Miles & Catherine. She died in early March of 1889 and was buried in Holmpton on March 13th. From the 1889 Parish Register for Holmpton:

> Ann Cockerline of Holmpton, buried March 13, 1889, age 95, W DYSON, Rector

Ann COCKERLINE (1797-1866)

Farm Servant in East Riding Yorkshire

Ann [Household #2] was the 7th child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840). Ann is thought to have been baptized at Hollym, ERY on March 7th, 1797, though the church baptismal records for that month contain incongruous information. A likely baptismal record for Ann has been found, but indicates that her father was William of Withernsea. However, that same William of Withernsea had a son John who was baptized at the same church on the 24th of March. Since it is unlikely that William would baptize two of his children two weeks apart, it is believed that there was a clerical error in recording the name of Ann's father.

That she was the daughter of Thomas & Ann – not William of Withernsea – is established in a January 1840 letter to Thomas & Ann from their son Matthew in Canada. In that letter, Matthew stated that he had bought a mill and needed his sister and her little boy to come to Canada or otherwise "he must have a wife". Ann never took up her brother's invitation to go to Canada; however, her son did go and apprentice with his uncle. That "little boy" was Ann's son Matthew Bird COCKERLINE, born at Patrington on February 2nd, 1832 and baptized there on February 5th.

The next reference to Ann was in the 1841 census when she was enumerated as a farm servant in the service of Thomas CHAMPNEY, a farmer in Halsham. In 1851, she was a servant to Henry HARMAN, a wheelwright in Holmpton. On December 25th, 1852 at Withernwick, ERY, Ann married Daniel MITCHELL (1795-1787), a blacksmith from Aldbrough.

> December 25th, Daniel Mitchell, of full age, widower, Blacksmith of Aldbrough and Ann Cockerline, of full age, spinster of Withernwick [were] married in the Parish Church

after Licence according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, by me, James BIRD, Minister.

In 1861, Ann and her husband were enumerated in Aldbrough, ERY. She died on August 26th, 1866 and was buried at Skirlaugh, ERY.

Ann COCKERLINE née MANGHAM (1821-1844)

Dressmaker in Hull, East Riding Yorkshire

Ann MANGHAM married Charles COCKERLINE (1822-1867) at Holy Trinity Church in Hull on September 25th, 1841; hence was not noted as a COCKERLINE until after the 1841 census. At the time of the 1841 census, Ann was living with her widowed mother at 188 Osborne Street in Hull. Next door, at 187 Osborne Street in Hull, Charles was living with his widowed mother. Five months after the census enumeration, Ann & Charles married. Ann & Charles had no children when she died in December of 1844. Ann was buried Rawmarsh, Rotterham, Yorkshire on December 5th, 1844. From the Parish Register of burials for Rawmarsh:

Ann Cockerline of Kimberworth, buried Dec 5th, 1844, age 23

Ann COCKERLINE (1822-unknown)

Ann COCKERLINE [Household #1] has tentatively been identified as Ann WILKINSON. In the 1841 census, she was enumerated as a female servant working for a William CLAPMAN in Burton Pidsea, ERY. In the census records, her age was not rounded as 15-19, but rather her age was stated as 18 years old, indicating a birth date about 1822 plus or minus a year. The census also clearly stated her birthplace as Yorkshire. Within these parameters, there were only four baptismal records of an Ann / Hannah / Nancy COCKERLINE having been baptized in Yorkshire in that time period (i.e. 1822 +/- 5 years).

- Hannah, the daughter of Robert COCKERLINE and Mary BURRELL, baptized at Keyingham on February 9th, 1817. On December 9th, 1840, she married Danby HUNTSMAN at Swine, ERY.
- Nancy, the daughter of Margaret COCKERLINE, baptized November 18th, 1818. Nothing further is known about her, but born in 1818, she would be about 23 at the time of the 1841 census enumeration. Would she have wanted / needed to present as someone 5 years younger?
- Ann, the daughter of William COCKERLINE and Tomlinson SIMPSON, baptized at Hedon on December 21st, 1821. She died January 20th 1825 and was buried in Preston by Hedon on the 22nd.

- Ann, the daughter of John COCKERLINE and Mary JACKSON, baptized October 23rd, 1823. However, this family left England for Canada in 1833 and in all likelihood would not have left their 10-year old daughter behind.

With no likely baptismal records for any other Ann COCKERLINE in the 1822 timeframe, this opens the possibility that COCKERLINE was her married name, not her maiden name. Based on this possible, one scenario is that Ann COCKERLINE was Ann WILKINSON, the wife of Thomas COCKERLINE (1818-1899) of Roos (*See entry for Nancy COCKERLINE, 1822-1913)*. Thomas COCKERLINE, an agricultural labourer, was enumerated in Roos, just 3 miles to the east of Burton Pidsea – walking distance. The couple had married just 2 months prior to the census and it is ***assumed*** that Ann was simply continuing in the employ of the same person with whom she was been employed before her marriage.

The problem with this scenario is that Thomas and his wife "Nancy" were both enumerated living with Samuel & Hannah WILKINSON – Nancy's parents. So was Thomas's wife enumerated twice? Possibly. In support of the above-proposed theory, it is noted that Thomas' wife was enumerated as "Ann" in the 1851, 1871 & 1881 census records and as "Nancy" in the 1861 & 1891 Census records.

Ann COCKERLINE (1823-1877)

Ann [Household #38] was the 1st of 8 children born to John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary Ann JACKSON (1803-1869). Born in Holmpton, ERY, she was baptized there on October 26th, 1823. At the age of 9, her family set out on a voyage to Canada, settling in Bogtown, Canada East. The 1841 census records for this area of LaColle no longer exists, but in the 1851, 1861 and 1871 records, she was enumerated living with her parents. On August 29, 1877 at age 54 years 11 months, she died at Henrysburg, Quebec and was buried in the Henrysburg United Church cemetery. Ann never married and had no children. From the Feb. 20th 1878 edition of the Canada Christian Advocate:

> COCKERLINE, Miss Ann, dr of the late John Cockerline, was b., Oct. 26, 1823, at Holmpton, Yorkshire, E., came to Cn with her prts in 1834, and sd at Henrysburg, PQ. She d., Aug. 29, 1877, and was bd in Henrysburg Cemetery.

Ann COCKERLINE (1829-1898)

Ann [Household #24], baptized at Welwick, ERY on February 22nd, 1829, was the 2nd child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-

1860). In the 1841 census, Ann, age 12, was living at home with her parents in Welwick. On June 23rd, 1849, Ann married Parnell SERGEANT (1822-1902) of Lincolnshire. They had 3 children: George (b: 1852), Sarah (b: 1855), & Hannah (b: 1863). In the 1851 census, Ann & Parnell were living next door to her parents in Welwick. In the 1861 and 1871 census records, Ann, her husband and their children were living in Ganstead, ERY where Parnell was a corn miller. In the 1881 & 1891 census records, the couple and their children were enumerated in Preston where Parnell was noted as a miller and corn farmer. Ann died November 21st, 1898 and was buried in the parish cemetery in Preston. Parnell died in Sculcoates in the 4th quarter of 1902.

Anne COCKERLINE (1833-1909)

Grocery shopkeeper in Sculcoates, Yorkshire

Anne [Household #34], baptized on November 27th, 1833 at All Saints in Sculcoates, was the 2nd of 4 children born to John COCKERLINE (1807-1834) & Frances MAY (1805-1878). In the 1841, 1861, and 1871 census for Hull, Anne was living with her parents / mother in Hull. At the time of the 1851 census, Anne was enumerated in Kirton, Lincolnshire, listed as a visitor in the household of Elizabeth TRAVIS. In both the 1871 & 1881, she was identified as a grocery shopkeeper in Hull. On May 10th, 1885, Anne (age 51) married Francis JEFFREYS (1848-1909), a picture framer. Both were living on Thornton Street in Hull at the time. In 1891 and 1901, Anne and Francis were enumerated in Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire where in 1909 both she and Francis died within 10 days of each other. Annie was buried in the St James parish cemetery in Grimsby, Lincolnshire on July 31st, 1909 and Francis on August 9th, 1909.

Anthony Johnson COCKERLINE (1826-1901)

Blacksmith & Farmer in Huron County, Ontario, then in Londesboro, Manitoba

Anthony [Household #7], baptized at Holy Trinity Church in Hull, ERY on March 16th, 1826, was the 4th child of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hannah WILSON (1800-1888) of Myton. In the 1841 census, Anthony, age 15, was an apprentice blacksmith to James DIBNAH of Skirlaugh, ERY. At Patrington, ERY on March 7th, 1849, he married Martha DUNN (1823-1864). About a year later, Anthony & Martha left England for Canada.

In the 1851 Census for Canada West, Anthony, his wife and his daughter Hannah were enumerated in Chinguacousy, Peel County, Canada West – a location were many immigrants to Canada West temporarily resided before moving to a more

permanent settlement. About 1855, he settled in Londesboro, Huron County, Canada West where he and his family were enumerated in the 1861 census. Anthony & Martha had 5 children: Hannah (b: 1851), George (b: 1853), Hepsibah (b: 1854), Mary Jane (b: 1855), & William (b: 1858). Martha died in Londesboro on December 26th, 1864 and was buried in the Londesboro Cemetery.

On November 27th, 1865 Anthony married Eliza Jane CLIFTON (1828-1900). They had one child: Eliza (b: 1868). In the 1871 census, Anthony, Eliza and his five youngest children were enumerated in Londesboro, Huron County. About 1879, he and his family moved further west to Pilot Mound, Manitoba where they were enumerated in the 1881 & 1891 censuses. Eliza died there of cholera on August 20th. 1900 and was buried in Greenwood cemetery in Pilot Mount. Anthony died there on March 15th, 1901 and – according to great grandson Edwin S COCKERLINE (1913-2010) – is believed to have been buried on the family farm.

Anthony COCKERLINE (1841-1885)

Servant in East Riding Yorkshire

Anthony [Household #24] was baptized Welwick, ERY on January 17th, 1840, the 6th child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-1860). In the 1841 & 1851 census records, Anthony was living at home with his parents. Over the next few decades, Anthony was enumerated at different households, working in various roles as a servant. In 1861, he was in Skirlaugh enumerated as a carter. In 1871, he was in Sunk Island enumerated as a farm servant. In 1881, he was in Hedon enumerated as a manservant. He died in Sculcoates about November of 1885. He never married and had no children.

Betsey COCKERLINE (1840-1903)

Betsy [Household #26], baptized at Anlaby, ERY on March 28th, 1841, was the first-born child of Edmund COCKERLINE (1811-1868) & his second wife, Eliza CATON (1806-1863). Based on the census records, Betsey was born about February 1841. In the 1841 (age 3 months), 1851 (age 10) & 1861 (age 19) census records, Betsey was enumerated at home with her parents. In 1865 in Hull, she married a dockworker, Joseph Allison HAYES (1829-1903). They had 5 daughters: Alice Ann (b: 1866), Eliza Mary (b: 1869), Edith Gertrude (b: 1873), Georgiana Amy (b: 1876) & Betsy (b: 1879).

In the 1871 census, Betsey and her family were living on Spencer Street, Hull. In the 1881 and 1891 census records, Betsey and her family were enumerated at

11, Eastcheap Street in Hull. In the 1901 census, Betsey and her husband were enumerated at 6, Eastcheap Street, but in that year her husband, a pauper (age 74) was also enumerated at the Hull Workhouse suggesting that perhaps due to illness, her husband had only recently moved into the workhouse. Joseph died in Hull about February of 1903; Betsey died there December 24th of that same year. It is not known where they are buried.

Catherine COCKERLINE (1831-1907)

Catherine [Household #24], baptized at Welwick, ERY on July 17th, 1831, was the 3rd child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-1860). In the 1841 (age 9) & 1851 (age 19), Catherine was living at home with her parents in Welwick. On January 1st, 1853, she married Charles GRAVES (1818-1894). They had 6 children: Catherine (b: 1853), Susanna (b: 1856), Charlotte (b: 1860), Elizabeth (b: 1861), Jane (b: 1868), & Rebecca (b: 1871).

Charles GRAVES was a farmer. During the various census records, the Charles & Catherine were noted as being farmers of progressively larger farms. In the 1861 census, Catherine & Charles were farmers of 28 acres in Saltfleet, Lincolnshire. In the 1871 census, they were farmers of 45 acres in Withern, Lincolnshire. In the 1881 census, Catherine & Charles were farmers of 98 acres in Beckingham, Nottinghamshire. By 1891, Charles was a retired farmer in Sommerby, Lincolnshire. He died there about May of 1894. In 1901, Catherine, a widow living on her own means was living with a granddaughter in Walkerington, Nottinghamshire. She died in Lincolnshire about November of 1907.

Catherine COCKERLINE (1835-1925)

Dressmaker in Holmpton, East Riding Yorkshire

Catherine COCKERLINE [Household #6], baptized in Holmpton, ERY on Nov 27th, 1835, was the 9th child of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). “Kate”, a dressmaker, married late in life and had no children. In the 1841, 1851, 1861 & 1871 census, she was enumerated at home with her parents in Holmpton. After her father died in 1874, she continued living at home with her mother and brother Miles.

At some point before the 1881 census the family had taken in a boarder, Henry Stephenson (age 59), a retired gardener. After Catherine’s mother died in 1889, she continued on at the same residence on Main Street in Holmpton and Henry STEPHENSON continued on as a lodger in the 1891 and 1901 census. In the

1911 census, Catherine, now age 75, was enumerated living by herself in the family home.

On October 21st, 1912 at Drypool ERY, at the age of 77, Catherine married William HOWARD (1834-1920), a widower and retired civil servant. Her husband, William (age 86), died at Holmpton January 21st, 1920. She died there (age 90) on December 31st, 1925.

Charles COCKERLINE (1822-1867)

Brewer in Drypool, East Riding Yorkshire

Charles COCKERLINE [Household #32] was the 9th of 12 children born to John COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872). He was born at Patrington on March 3rd, 1822 and baptized at the Fist Street Independent Chapel in Kingston upon Hull on June 9th, 1822. In the 1841 census, Charles, a labourer, was single and living at home with his widowed mother in Myton, ERY.

On September 25th, 1842, Charles married Ann MAUGHAM (1821-1844) at Holy Trinity Church in Hull. Of interest, in the 1841 census, Ann and her widowed mother were living next door to the COCKERLINEs. Ann died in early December, 1844 and was buried in Rawmarsh, WRY on December 5th of that year. On August 10th, 1845 Charles married the widow Ann TAYLOR (1793-1881) at St Mary's Church in Sculcoates. There were no known children of either of Charles' marriages.

In the Hull census records, Charles was noted as a labourer in the 1841 census and a brewer's servant in the 1851 census. In 1855, he was living at 2 Vincent Street, a dwelling house on the south side of the property of the Providence Brewery owned and operated by a William FOSTER of Hull. From June 29th 1855 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times (Hull, ENGLAND), this item:

> **Advertisements & Notices**
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> Brewery, Inns, Dwelling Houses, and building or garden ground at Hull
>
> To be sold by auction by Mr Thomas Daniels, by order of the representative of the late Mr. William Foster, at the George Inn, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on Thursday, the 12th day of July, 1855 ...
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> ... Also the large DWELLING HOUSE, no 2 Vincent -street, adjoining the south side of the brewery, with the outbuildings and Out-offices, or in the occupation of Mrs Foster. Also the small DWELLING HOUSE, adjoining the North side of the Brewery, in the occupation of Charles Cockerline.

In the 1861 census, Charles was a brewer in Beverley. Charles died at Sculcoates in the 1st quarter of 1867. Ann, his second wife, died at Sculcoates on January 18th, 1881. From the January 21st, 1881 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times:

COCKERLINE - Jan 18 at 64 Francis Street East, aged 88 years, Ann COCKERLINE.

Charles COCKERLINE (1841-1918)

Farmer in Lambton County, Ontario

Charles [Household #38] was the 7th of 8 children born to John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary JACKSON (1803-1869) of Henryville, Canada East. Born August 18th, 1841, he was baptized March 20th, 1844. In the 1851 and 1871 census records, Charles was enumerated living with his parents.

During the 1860s, raids by the American-based Fenians were a constant threat in the Province of Canada. During this time, Charles served in the 21st Battalion of the Richelieu Light Infantry. For his service, he received a land grant in Moore Township, Lambton County, Ontario where he was enumerated in 1881. At the age of 48, on April 3rd, 1889, he married Ella TAYLOR (1862-1923). They had no children. Charles and his wife were enumerated there in the 1891, 1901 and 1911 census records.

On March 8th, 1918, he died of bronchitis, from which he had been suffering for about two weeks. He was buried at Moore Union Cemetery in Lambton County, Ontario. Ella was still in Moore Township at the time of the 1921 census, and on Jan 18th, 1922 she married James Henry WALKER in Middlesex County, Ontario. She died the following year, on November 15th, 1923, and on the 17th was buried in Moore Union Cemetery in Lambton County, Ontario.

Charlotte COCKERLINE-ELLARBY (1822-1871)

Charlotte ELLARBY [Household #18] was baptized at Roos, ERY on July 29th, 1822, the daughter of Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865). A year after Charlotte's baptism, her mother married William COCKERLINE (1795-1841), a tailor in Roos. While baptized as ELLARBY, she was enumerated as a COCKERLINE in the 1841 census, and for this reason it is *assumed* that she was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841). Charlotte never married, though she had one child: Henry Alfred COCKERLINE (b: 1845).

At the time of the 1841 censuses, Charlotte COCKERLINE was enumerated living at home with her parents. In 1851, Charlotte ELLARBY, a dressmaker, was

enumerated living with her widowed mother in Roos. Also enumerated in the household was her son Henry Alfred (age 6). In the 1861 and 1871 census records Charlotte, a dressmaker in Roos was again enumerated as a COCKERLINE. In June of 1871, she died at Roos and was buried there on June 28th of that year.

Christiana Easter COCKERLINE (1823-1907)

Matron at Trinity House in Kingston upon Hull

Christiana Easter COCKERLINE [Household #29] was baptized at Holy Trinity church in Hull on October 13th, 1823. At the time of the 1841 and 1851 censuses, she was enumerated living at home with her parents, John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) & Mary Ann THOMPSON (1783-1846). On November 28th, 1855, she married James HARROW (1814-1865), a master mariner. Christiana & James had three children: Mary Ann (B: 1858) and twins Patricia & Clementina (B: 1861).

In the 1861 census, Christiana, her husband and three children were living with her father at Granby Square, Hull. Christiana's father died on February 16th, 1863. Her husband died on December 3rd, 1865 and her daughter Patricia about November of 1865. In the 1871 census, Christiana and her two children were enumerated at Whipp's Court in Hull. In the 1891 and 1901 census records, Christiana and her daughter Clementina were pensioner's living at Trinity House in Kingston upon Hull. Founded in the 1300s, Trinity House was a home established to care for sick Mariners. Christiana continued to live and work there until her death in the 1st quarter of 1907.

David COCKERLINE (1810-1877)

General labourer in Drypool, East Riding Yorkshire

David [Household #27], born November 8th, 1810 at Patrington and baptized there on November 18th, was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857). In the 1841 & 1851 census records, he was enumerated in Drypool living with his widowed mother and 3 of his unmarried siblings. After his mother died in 1857, David continued to live in Drypool with his three unmarried siblings (1861 and 1871 census records).

No marriage record *per se* has been found and the 1871 census gives David's status as single; nevertheless, David appears to have married as Banns of Marriage between David and Jane CARES / CARIS (1824-1873) were read at All Saints church on May 5th, 12th, & 19th, 1861. Also, three COCKERLINE births

have been documented with the mother's maiden name given as CARIS: Elizabeth (B: 1863), Emily (b: 1864) & Ann Eliza (1866). The youngest child, Elizabeth, died in the 3rd quarter of 1863 and the third child, Ann Eliza, died in the 2nd quarter of 1867. The middle child, Emily, was enumerated in the 1871 living in the same household with David and David's three siblings. No subsequent references to Emily COCKERLINE have been found.

Jane has not been documented in the 1871 census; however, 2 stories have been found in the August 24th & 25th editions of the Hull Packet.

> August 24th: Hull Police Reports
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> Jane COCKERLINE, a young woman who appeared in the dock with an infant in her arms, was charged by Mrs BROUGHTON, Dock Street, with stealing a quantity of bedding. The prisoner had lodged with the prosecutrix adding that she sold the property for old rags, not knowing that she was doing wrong. She was willing to pay any amount for them now. The case was remanded until Saturday.
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> August 25th: ROBBERY BY A LODGER
>
> Jane COCKERLINE, a young woman, was charged on remand with stealing a quantity of bed linen, the property of a woman named BROUGHTON, with whom she had lodged for about seven months - To be imprisoned for fourteen days.

Jane (age 49) died at Hull in the 2nd quarter of 1873. David died in Sculcoates in early June of 1877 and was buried here on June 6th.

David COCKERLINE (1817-unknown)

Ag labourer in Sunk Island, East Riding Yorkshire

The enumeration of this particular COCKERLINE [Household #22] is problematic. In the 1841 census, David was noted as age 23 years - indicating he was born about 1817. In this time period (*plus or minus 5 years*) there is no baptismal record found for him in the whole of England, nor is there any subsequent record of a marriage or a burial. He has not been noted in any subsequent census records. Based on the fact there are no other civil, church or census records to collaborate the existence of this particular individual found in the 1841 census, the assumption is that there was an error in the enumerator's recording of this person's name or his age.

There was a David COCKERLINE born at Patrington in 1810, but in the 1841 census, he was enumerated at Drypool. The possibility that this was a duplicate enumeration of the David COCKERLINE in Drypool is discounted because of the

distance of Sunk Island from Drypool and because of the difference in their recorded ages.

Edmund COCKERLINE (1811-1868)

Joiner in Hull, Yorkshire

Edmund COCKERLINE [Household #26] was a carpenter / joiner in Hull, Yorkshire. Baptized at Patrington on September 1st, 1811, he was the 5th of 12 children born to Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833) & Mary PRESTON (1786-1872). In various church records, his occupation has been noted as a joiner. Over the course of his life, he survived two of his three wives and between them, had six children.

Other than his baptism, the first mention of him to be found in the records is his July 26th, 1836 marriage to Jane MARRIS (abt 1815-1840) at Winterton, Lincolnshire. The next mention of him is on January 6th, 1840 when he is noted in the baptismal records of his daughter Mary Jane COCKERLINE at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire. Just weeks later, unfortunately, the Kirk Ella parish records also noted the burial of his wife on January 24th followed quickly afterwards by the burial of their two-month old daughter, Mary Jane, on January 28th.

At Holy Trinity Church in Hull, Yorkshire on September 30th, 1840, Edmund married Eliza CATON (1806-1863), the daughter of Robert & Isabella CATON of Cherry Burton, ERY. In the census records of 1841 (Kirk Ella), 1851 (Myton) and 1861 (Kingston upon Hull) he was enumerated with his wife Eliza, and their four children: Betsey (b: 1841), William (b: 1842), Mary Jane (b: 1845), and Eliza (b: 1848).

Edmund's second wife died at Hull on July 30th, 1863. In the August 7th edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times, an entry noted the death of Eliza:

> Death: July 30, at Hull, aged 56 years, Eliza, wife of Mr. Edmund COCKERLINE, Joiner.

Again at Holy Trinity Church in Hull, on September 23rd, 1865, Edmund married a third time to Prudence WHARTON (1827-1905), the daughter of William & Eliza WHARTON of Sculcoates. Of this marriage, Edmund's 6th child was born: Albert Edmund COCKERLINE. This marriage; however, was a short one as on September 2nd, 1868, Edmund died.

Two newspapers items of the time highlight the details of his death. In the September 4th edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times, an entry noted the death of Edmund:

> Sudden Death - On Wednesday evening last, a joiner named Edmund COCKERLINE, 57 years of age, residing at 114, Day Street, was found dead by a fellow workman, at a chapel building in Walker Street, where he was employed.

Further details were revealed in another item in the same edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times, which noted the results of an inquest held regarding the circumstances of his death:

> Inquest - An inquest was held yesterday at the Albany beerhouse, Day Street, on the body of Edmund COCKERLINE, a joiner, 57 years of age, who died suddenly on the previous day, while working at a chapel which is in course of erection in Walker Street. A verdict was returned to the effect "that the decreased died from apoplexy."

In the 1871 census, Prudence COCKERLINE, a monthly nurse, was enumerated at Bean Street, Hull. However, enumerated along with her were only her natural children: five by her previous marriage to Richard HARPER and Albert COCKERLINE. None of the children of Edmund's second marriage were living with her.

Eliza COCKERLINE née CATON (1806-1863)

On September 30th, 1840 at Holy Trinity Church in Hull, Eliza CATON [Household #26] married Edmund COCKERLINE (1811-1868). The marriage registration indicates that she was the daughter of Robert & Isabella CATON of Cherry Burton, ERY. The parish records for Cherry BURTON have an Eliza CATAN, christened on 26 Dec 1806, the daughter of Robert & Isabella CATAN. This baptismal date is consistent with Eliza's reported age at death, which suggests an 1806 birth year.

Eliza's life before her marriage to Edmund COCKERLINE is unknown. In the 1841 census, Edmund & Eliza and their daughter Betsy were enumerated along with a Charles CATON, age 11. Though the relationship is not stated in the 1841 census, there was a Charles CATON, son of Eliza CATON, baptized at Hessle, ERY on November 11th, 1832: he has not been identified in any subsequent records.

In the 1841 census, the family was living at Anlaby, Kirk Ella where their daughter Betsy was born (1841). The family then moved to Myton where the next three children were born: William (b: 1842), Mary Jane (b: 1845) & Eliza (b: 1848). In the 1851 & 1861 census, Eliza, Edmund and children were

enumerated in Kingston upon Hull.

Eliza died on July 30th, 1863 per this item in the August 7th edition of the Hull Packet & East Riding Times:

> Death: July 30, at Hull, aged 56 years, Eliza, wife of Mr. Edmund COCKERLINE, Joiner.

Eliza COCKERLINE (1823-1902)

Jeweler & Shop Keeper in York, Yorkshire

Eliza COCKERLINE [Household #31] was baptized in Holmpton on May 4th, 1823, the daughter of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). In the 1841 census, Eliza was enumerated in Drypool as a servant to a Thomas WEBSTER, a merchant in that community. Two years later on August 23rd, 1843 in Kingston upon Hull, her son Robert Fisher was baptized.

In the 1851 census, Eliza was an assistant milliner working for a John DAY, a draper in Sculcoates. Her son Robert (age 7) was living with Eliza's parents in Holmpton at that time. On February 17th, 1853 at St Paul's in Sculcoates, ERY Eliza married Joseph Johann Baptist KROUS (1810-1887). Over the next eleven years, Eliza and Joseph had 4 children: Lizza (b: 1853); Joseph Jr, (b: 1855); Frederick (b: 1858) & Lillian (b: 1864).

In 1861, 1871, & 1881 Eliza, her husband (a commercial traveller and jeweler), and children were living at Spurriergate in York, WRY. Eliza's husband died on November 11th, 1887. In the 1891 census Eliza, a jeweler and shop owner, continued living at the same address. With her were two of her grandchildren: Lillian COCKERLINE (age 17) and Robert COCKERLINE (age 15). By the time of the 1901 census, Eliza – still in Spurriergate but now retired – was living with her daughter Lillian & son-in-law Ignatius WARNER. Eliza died there in the fall of 1902.

Elizabeth COCKERLINE, formerly ATKINSON (abt 1775-1857)

On July 26th, 1804 at Drypool, Elizabeth ATKINSON [Household #27] married Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839). Elizabeth's ancestry is unknown. Based on the 1851 census records, she was born at Burton Pidsea, ERY about 1775, but no such baptism has been found. The 1804 marriage record for Elizabeth and Robert does not state the martial status of either, but Robert had been widowed

twice before. In that Elizabeth was approximately 30 years of age at the time of her marriage to Robert, it is entirely possible that she also had been widowed; however, there is no evidence to suggest one way or another whether this was the case. For this reason, there is a possibility that ATKINSON was not her maiden name.

Between 1806 and 1820, they had 7 children: twins Charles & Mary (b: 1806), Ann (b: 1808), David (b: 1810), Emanuel (b: 1813), Samuel (b: 1815), & James (b: 1820). The first six children were born in Patrington, and then at some point between the birth of Samuel (1815) and James (1820), the family seems to have moved to Drypool where the family was enumerated in the 1841 census.

Elizabeth's husband Robert died in 1839. In the 1841 & 1851 census records, Elizabeth, a widow, was enumerated in Drypool with four of her adult children. At the age of 82, she died there about August of 1857.

Elizabeth COCKERLINE-AKE née MASON (1794-1868)

Elizabeth MASON [Household #23] was the 2nd wife of John COCKERLINE-AKE (1797-1866). Baptized at Welwick on October 26th, 1794, she was the daughter of John MASON. Elizabeth MASON & John COCKERLINE were married at Welwick on December 19th, 1829 and had at two children: Sarah Anne MASON (b: 1828) & Francis AKE (b: 1834). Sarah was born before John & Elizabeth's marriage, but Sarah gave John COCKERLINE as the name of her father when she married Robert ANDREW in 1852.

Elizabeth & John were enumerated at Weeton, ERY in the 1841 census and at Welwick in the 1851 & 1861 census records. Her husband died in Welwick and was buried there on February 18th, 1866. She died in Welwick and was buried there on December 23rd, 1868.

Elizabeth COCKERLINE (1827-1905)

Elizabeth [Household #8], baptized at Keyingham on August 1st, 1827, was the 7th of 8 children born to Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) & Mary BURRELL (1789-1852). In the 1841 census, she (age 13) was enumerated in Keyingham with her parents. In 1851, she was a servant in the household of John BOVILL of Wawne, Yorkshire. In 1854 at Keyingham, she married William KNAGGS (1828-1905) of Ulrome, ERY. They had 7 children: Alfred (b: 1855); Harry (b: 1857); Mary (b: 1859); Rose (b: 1864); Hannah (b: 1867); Ada (b: 1872); & Kate (b: 1883).

In the 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901 census records, Elizabeth, her husband William (an agricultural labourer) and their children were enumerated in Ulrome, ERY. William died and was buried at Ulrome on August 6th, 1905. Three months later Elizabeth died and was buried there on November 2nd, 1905.

Elizabeth COCKERLINE (1838-1871)

Elizabeth [Household #38] was the 6th of 8 children born to John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary Ann JACKSON (1803-1869). Born at Henrysburg, Canada East on May 17th, 1838, she was baptized there on February 15th, 1839. The 1841 and 1861 census for the area seems to no longer exist, however, in 1851 she was enumerated with her parents in LaColle.

In 1862, at Hemmingford, Quebec she married John WHYTE of LaColle. Elizabeth & John had 4 children: Eleanor (b: 1863); Edith (b: 1865); Laura (b: 1865); & Frederick (b: 1870). In the 1871 census, the family was enumerated at Lacolle where Elizabeth died on Oct 29th, 1871. On Jan 5th, 1875, John married Emily DAVIS. He died in Henrysburg on August 14th, 1905.

Elizabeth COCKERLINE (1841-1897)

Earthenware dealer and shopkeeper in Sculcoates, East Riding Yorkshire

Elizabeth – not in the 1841 census – was the 1st of 6 children born to James COCKERLINE (1816-1890) & Mary SHARPE (1822-1873). No baptismal record has yet been found for her, but her birth was registered at Sculcoates in the 3rd quarter of 1841. As such, it is not known if she was born before the June 7th date of the 1841 census. Elizabeth's family has not yet been found in the 1841 census. In 1851 (age 10) Elizabeth was living at home with her parents in Preston. Elizabeth has not been identified in the 1861 census, but in Sculcoates on May 12th, 1869, she married George OGLESBY (1833-1883), a glass & china dealer. They had 2 children: Ada (b: 1870) & Eliza (b: 1872).

In 1871 and 1881, Elizabeth and her family were enumerated in Hull. Her husband George died in Hull in the 4th quarter of 1883. In the 1891 census, Elizabeth, an earthenware dealer, was enumerated in Hull living with her daughter, Eliza. Elizabeth died at home on May 2nd, 1897, as reported in the May 3rd, 1897 edition of the Hull Daily Mail.

> DEATHS: OGLESBY – May 2nd, 1897, at 22, Humber-street, Hull (suddenly), Elizabeth Oglesby, widow of the late George Oglesby, aged 56 years. Interment at the General Cemetery, Tuesday, 2:15 p.m. Friends please accept this the only intimation.

Emanuel COCKERLINE (1813-1876)

General labourer in Drypool, East Riding Yorkshire

Emanuel [Household #27] was baptized at Patrington on May 9th, 1813. He was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857). In the 1841 & 1851 census records, he was enumerated in Drypool living with his widowed mother and 3 of his unmarried siblings. After his mother died in 1857, Emanuel continued to live in Drypool with his unmarried siblings (1861 and 1871 census records). In early April 1876, he died at Drypool and was buried at St Andrew's church on April 6th. He never married and had no children.

Esther COCKERLINE née BARRETT (*abt* 1761-1845)

Esther BARRETT [Household #4] was the wife of William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) of Holmpton. Baptized March 13th, 1761 at Owthorne, she was the daughter of John BARRETT (1710-1761) & Esther DALTON (1723-1783) of Owthorne. On May 21st, 1787 at Welwick, she married William COCKERLINE. They had 6 children: Thomas (b: 1788), Elizabeth (b: 1789), William (b: 1792), Thomas (b: 1794), John (b: 1797) & Esther (b: 1801). She died at Holmpton on October 7th, 1845 and was buried there on the 9th. From the October 10th 1845 edition of the Hull Packet, this notice:

> DEATHS: Oct 7th, at Holmpton, age 84, Ester, the wife of Mr. Wm. Cockerline.

William died about 2 weeks later, on October 24th, and was buried there on the 26th.

Esther COCKERLINE (1825-1903)

Esther [Household #38] was the 2nd of 8 children born to John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary Ann JACKSON (1803-1869), baptized at Holmpton, ERY on October 25th, 1825. In 1832, she sailed to Canada with her parents and three other siblings. The current records for 1841 and 1861 census for the area where the COCKERLINEs settled are incomplete and the family has not been identified in these sets of records. In 1851 and 1871 census, Esther was enumerated with the parents and siblings in St Bernard de LaColle, Huntington County, Canada East. Sometime after 1871 she married Francis Miles ELLETSON. When and where she married is unknown but in the 1875 state census for Minnesota, USA, she and her husband were enumerated in Wright County. She died there on May 28th, 1903 and was buried in Lakeview Cemetery, Buffalo, Wright County, Minnesota, USA. She had no children.

The circumstances of her life after 1871 are a mystery. After 1871, there has been no mention of her in any family records, suggesting the possibility of a shunning. While some online family trees give the date of her marriage to Frank ELLETSON as April 2nd, 1872, no record of a marriage has been found. Also a mystery exists about whether she had any children. In the Minnesota census records, she was consistently enumerated with her husband, but the only children enumerated with them were children of Frank's 1st marriage. Yet there is a Harry (1872-1893) who was buried in the same plot where she and her husband would later be buried. Who this Harry was is not known for sure. From the ELLETSON tombstone in Lakeview Cemetery, Buffalo, Wright County, Minnesota:

> ELLETSON
> Francis M (1824-1898)
> Esther (1825-1903)
> Harry (1721-1893)

From the tombstone, Harry's surname is assumed to be ELLESTON, but an item in the Princeton Union newspaper (Princeton, Minnesota) dated Thursday, September 14th, 1893, Pg. 2 suggests otherwise.

> Harry STOKES, who was digging out an old well on Mrs. Ellen SHEHAM's farm, near Buffalo, went down into the well and was overcome by foul air and died before assistance could reach him.

Based on this newspaper story, the Harry buried in the plot was not Esther's son, but rather Frank's grandson Frank STOKES (1872-1893) via Frank's daughter Mary.

Esther Ann COCKERLINE (1833-1868)

Esther Ann [Household #28] was the eldest child of Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864) & Sarah ROBINSON (abt 1804-1887). She was baptized at Hedon on April 26th, 1833. Based on the entry in the parish records, she was baptized "Ester Ann"; however, her names appears as "Easter" in the 1861 census and in her marriage registration. About November 1853 she married James WILLIAMSON (1823-unknown), a cover maker in Hull. In the 1861 census, Ester (age 28) & James (age 38) were enumerated at 20, Lucy's Place in Hull. No children were listed in that census. From the February 14th, 1868 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times, Esther died at her residence on February 8th:

> Deaths: February 8, at her residence, No 4, Porter's Place, Porter Street, Hull, aged 34 years, Ester Ann, wife of James WILLIAMSON, cover-maker, and only daughter of the late Mr. Robert COCKERLINE, brewer, of this town.

Frances COCKERLINE née MAY (1805-1878)

Grocer in Hull, Yorkshire

Frances [Household #34], baptized at Kirton in Lindsay, Lincolnshire on July 7th, 1805, was the daughter of Edward & Susanna MAY. In Hull on February 28th, 1830 Frances married John COCKERLINE (1807-1867), a tailor in Hull. John & Frances had four children: Mary Susannah (b: 1831); Anne (b: 1834); Robert Edward (b: 1836); & John (b: 1841). Their first child, Mary Susanna was born and baptized in Kirton in Lindsay, Lincolnshire suggesting that John may have lived there for a period of time. Based on the place of birth for subsequent children, John & Frances were back in Sculcoates by 1834.

In the 1841, 1851, & 1861 census, Frances was enumerated with her husband and children in Sculcoates. Widowed in 1867, Frances, a grocer, was enumerated living with her daughter Anne in Myton in the 1871 census. Frances died there in the 3rd quarter of 1878.

Frances “Fanny” COCKERLINE née BEWELL (1811-1855)

Frances COCKERLINE née BEWELL of Keyingham – not in the 1841 census – is a mystery. Two post-1841 census references suggest that she should be in the 1841 census. In the 1851 census for Keyingham, Fanny COCKERLINE (married, age 38, born in Keyingham) was enumerated as living with her mother Elizabeth CLAYTON (a widow, age 67, born in Keyingham) and sister Elizabeth CLAYTON (single, age 24, born in Keyingham). A second reference to Frances COCKERLINE was a Keyingham parish register entry indicating that Frances COCKERLINE, age 44, of Easington was buried in Keyingham on October 26th, 1855. These two pieces of data indicate the Fanny was alive in 1841, but has not yet been identified in the 1841 census records.

The two references to Fanny COCKERLINE have been sufficient to determine Fanny’s identity, but insufficient to establish her connection to the COCKERLINE surname. Frances has been identified as “Fanny” Masterman BEWELL, baptized at Keyingham on July 2nd, 1812, the daughter of Elizabeth BEWELL. On May 15th, 1817, Fanny’s mother married William CLAYTON of Keyingham. In the 1841 census, Fanny was enumerated with the family of William & Elizabeth CLAYTON in Keyingham – with Frances’ maiden name being recorded as BEWELL (*sic* BIRIL). That her surname was noted as BEWELL at the time of the 1841 census but as COCKERLINE in the 1851 census is an indication she had married sometime between June of 1841 and April of 1851.

So which COCKERLINE did she marry? And when? No such COCKERLINE–BEWELL marriage has been found; however, there was an April 10th, 1848 marriage at Myton of a Fanny BEWELL to a tailor John COCKERILL. Whether this is the same Fanny BEWELL is unknown. There was a tailor by the name of John COCKERLINE (1807-1867) in Hull; however, John had married in 1830 and was enumerated with his wife Frances MAY in the 1841, 1851, & 1861 census of Hull. Conclusion: Without a definitive reference, Fanny's connection to the COCKERLINE surname remains suspect.

Francis COCKERLINE-AKE (1834-1846)

Francis [Household #23] was baptized at Weeton on June 24th, 1834, the son of John COCKERLINE-AKE (1797-1866) and Elizabeth MASON (1794-1868). In the 1841 census "Frank" (age 6) was enumerated living with his parents in Weeton. At the age of 12, he died and was buried at Welwick on October 4th, 1846. From the 1826 Parish Register of burials for Welwick:

> Frances Ake COCKERLINE, Welwick, buried Oct 4th 1846, age 12

Frederick COCKERLINE (1830-1898)

Cordwainer & Victualer in Holmpton, East Riding Yorkshire

Frederick COCKERLINE [Household #6] was baptized in Holmpton on April 25th, 1830, the 7th of 9 children of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889) of Holmpton. In the 1841 and the 1851 census, Frederick was enumerated at home with his parents. On February 13th, 1860 at Holmpton, ERY, he married Lucy Pape COOK (1830-1893).

Between 1861 and 1891, Frederick – a cordwainer and victualer – and wife were enumerated in Holmpton as shopkeepers. They had no children. Lucy died on December 8th, 1893; Frederick on December 20th, 1898. Both were buried in Holmpton.

George COCKERLINE (1806-1853)

Pauper in East Riding Yorkshire

George COCKERLINE [Household #17], the fifth child of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) of Welwick and Catherine AKE (1766-1817), was baptized at Welwick on June 20th, 1806. There is no indication George ever married and there are no known children. George has not been conclusively identified in the 1841 or 1851 census records; however, there was a George COCKERLINE who was enumerated at the Patrington Union Workhouse in the 1841 (age 30-34) and 1851 (age 39) census records, From the 1851 census, George was identified as

having been born in Welwick, ERY. George COCKERLINE, age 46, died and was buried at Welwick on May 25th, 1853.

George COCKERLINE (1820-1858)

Cork Cutter in Glasgow, Scotland

George [Household #32] was the 8th of 12 children born to John COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872) Patrington. Based on census records, George was born at Patrington about 1820, but as with his brother John, no birth or baptismal records have been found. The census records; however, are consistent about his 1820 birth date and place of birth. In the 1841 census, George (age 20), a cork cutter, was single and living at home with his widowed mother in Myton.

On September 12, 1841 at All Saints Church in Hull, he married Elizabeth WOOD (1813-1853). From the September 17th, 1841 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times:

> On Sunday, the 12th inst., at Sculcoates Church, by the Rev R.B. BAILEY, Mr. George Cockerline, cork cutter, to Miss Elizabeth WOOD, the youngest daughter of Mr. Jonathan Wood, late of her Majesty's' Customs, Hull, all of this place.

In the 1851 census, George and Elizabeth were enumerated at Strawberry Street in Sculcoates. Enumerated with them were Elizabeth's father, John WOODS, and Elizabeth's sister, Martha WOODS. No children were enumerated with them. They did; however, have 2 children both of whom died in infancy: Sarah (1850-1850) & Emma (1853-1853). Daughter Emma and mother Elizabeth were buried on the same day, February 17th, 1853.

George moved to Glasgow, Scotland where he was employed as a cork cutter. There he married Catherine HACK on September 2nd, 1853. George died there on April 2nd, 1858 per the following item from the April 9th, 1858 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times:

> Death: April 2, at Glasgow, aged 38 years, Mr. George COCKERLINE, son of the late Mr. Robert COCKERLINE, brewer, Hedon.

It is not known when or where Catherine died, or whether she remarried.

George COCKERLINE (1826-1895)

Tailor in Sculcoates, East Riding Yorkshire

George [Household #24] baptized at Welwick, ERY on November 21st, 1826, was the eldest child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-1860). In the 1841 census, George, age 14, was living at home with his

parents in Welwick. George has not been identified in the 1851 census, but at Welwick on October 13th, 1853, he married Ellen GRAVES (1829-1866). They had three children: Rhonda (b: 1855); Thomas (b: 1857); & Hannah (b: 1858).

In the 1861 census, George, a tailor, his wife Ellen and their three children were enumerated in Welwick. Ellen died in Welwick and was buried there on May 29th, 1866. In 1871, George was living on Town Street in Owthorne where he was living with his son, George, age 14, an apprentice butcher. On December 13th, 1880, George married the widow Mary Ann PRICHETT (1847-1931). By 1881, George and his family had moved to Sutton, ERY where he was enumerated with his new wife and daughter Bertha, age 1. Interestingly, George appears to have changed his occupation as he was now listed as a fishmonger, perhaps in conjunction with his son, Thomas, a butcher's man, who was enumerated with his father.

In 1891, George was again listed as a tailor, was living at 34 Kent Street in Sculcoates. Enumerated with him were his wife Mary Ann and daughter Bertha. About June of 1895, George died in Sculcoates. In 1906, George's widow married John LICKFIELD (1841-1928). Mary Ann died on December 12th, 1931 and was buried in Western Cemetery, Hull. From the December 14th 1931 edition of the Hull Daily Mail:

> DEATHS: Litchfield - Dec 12th at Trinity House, Mary Ann, beloved wife of J C W F Lichfield. God saw the rugged pathway was getting hard to climb; He gently closed her eyelids, and whispered, "Peace Devine". Interment Western Cemetery, Tuesday

George COCKERLINE (1830-1897)

Farmer in Huron County, Ontario

George [Household #9] was baptized at Sutton Bank, ERY on September 20th, 1830, the 6th child of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hannah WILSON (1800-1888). In the 1841 census (age 11) and 1851 census (age 21), George was living in Ottringham with his parents. There, on January 20th, 1853, George married Elizabeth WHITAKER (1824-1896). Based on the birth of their first child, Margaret (b: 1855), George & Elizabeth left England within a year or so of their marriage..

In the 1861, 1871, 1881 & 1891 census of Canada, George, a farmer, and his family were enumerated in Hullett, Huron County, Ontario, Canada. They had 7 children, all born in Hullett: Margaret (b: 1855); Elizabeth (b: 1856); Emma (b: 1859); Christiana (b: 1860); George (b: 1861); Martha (b: 1864); & Matilda (b: 1868). George's wife died on February 9th, 1896. George died the following year,

on June 11th, 1897. Both were buried in the Blyth Union Cemetery in Huron County, Ontario.

George COCKERLINE (1834-1860)

Mariner

George [Household #28] was baptized at Hedon on April 19th, 1835, the second child of Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864) & Sarah ROBINSON (*abt* 1804-1887). He never married and had no known children. He was enumerated along with his family in the 1841 census (age 6), but no record of him has been found in the 1851 census. There is a maritime record of a George COCKERLINE, born at Hedon on November 13th, 1833, who served in the merchant marine between 1847-1854. George COCKERLINE, age 25, died and was buried at Holy Trinity church in Hull on August 22, 1860. Based on his age at death and on his age as recorded in the 1841 census, it is likely that he falsified his birth year on his application to the Merchant Marine so that he could enlist as a mariner. If so, he was born in November of 1834 and not 1833 as recorded in his merchant navy records.

Hannah COCKERLINE née WILSON (1800-1888)

Carrier in Ottringham, East Riding Yorkshire

Hannah WILSON [Household #9] was the second wife of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841), a blacksmith and carrier in Ottringham. Baptized at Kilnsea, ERY on December 27th, 1800, Hannah was the daughter of Anthony WILSON, a blacksmith in Kilnsea. On August 21st, 1820 in Ottringham, Hannah married the widower William COCKERLINE. They had 7 children: William (b: 1820); John (b: 1822); Hepsibah (b: 1824); Anthony (b: 1826); Robert (b: 1828); George (b: 1830) & Robert (b: 1833). In the 1841 census, there was just one child, George, still living at home. Later that year, on August 18th, Hannah's husband died and was buried in the St Wilfrid's church cemetery in Ottringham.

> Sacred / to the memory of / William COCKERLINE who died / August 18th 1841 aged 50 years / Afflictions sore long time I bore / Physicians were in vain / Til God did please to give me ease / And take away my pain

Hannah carried on the cartage business as in the 1851 census for Ottringham, she was enumerated as a 'common carrier'. At some point in the early- to mid-1850s, Hannah and her family left England for Canada.

In the 1861 census of Canada West, she was enumerated with her son John in Hullett Township, Huron County, Canada West. In 1871, she was still in Hullett, but living with an Annie BELL (*no known relationship*). Then in 1881, she was

enumerated with her son John in Morris, Huron County. She died at her son George's home in Hullett on October 25th, 1888. From the Clinton New Era newspaper, dated November 2nd, 1888:

> Hullett: Mrs. Cockerline, who died last week, was one of the old settlers, and a person very highly esteemed. (page 1)
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> DEATH: Cockerline, In Hullett, on the 25th Oct, at the residence of her son George, Hannah Cockerline, age 88 years and 7 months. (page 4)

Hannah COCKERLINE née SIMPSON (1802-1860)

Hannah SIMPSON [Household #24] was the 1st wife of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871), an innkeeper in Welwick. Baptized at Withernwick on November 21st, 1802, she was the daughter of John SIMPSON of that location. On February 15th, 1825, she married Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1860) at Aldbrough, ERY. They had 6 children: George (b: 1826), Ann (b: 1829), Catherine (b: 1831), Thomas (b: 1836), John (b: 1839), & Anthony (b: 1840).

In the 1841 and 1851 census for Ottringham, ERY, the family was living on High Road in Welwick. Hannah died there on September 19th, 1860 and was buried on the 21st. From her monumental inscription in Welwick:

> In memory of Hannah, the beloved wife of Thomas COCKERLINE, departed this life Sept 19th, 1860, aged 58

And from the Hull Packet and East Riding Times (Hull, ENGLAND), Friday, September 28, 1860:

> Deaths: September 19, at Welwick, age 58 years, Hannah, the beloved wife of Mr. Thomas COCKERLINE, late of the Wheat Sheaf Inn.

Harriet COCKERLINE (1838-1902)

Harriet COCKERLINE [Household #18] was baptized at Roos, ERY on July 1st, 1838, the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865). In the 1841 & 1851 Census records, Harriet (age 3 and 12 respectively) was living with her parents in Roos. In the 1861 Census, Harriet was enumerated in the household of James PALMER, Incumbent (Clergyman) of Weeton where she was noted as a servant (cook).

About June of 1862, Harriet married Job FIRTH (1838-1898), a stonemason. They had 6 children: Alice (b: 1863), Joseph (b: 1865), George (b: 1866), Florence (b: 1869), & Fred (b: 1871). In 1871, 1881, & 1891, Harriet, her husband and their 5 of their children were enumerated in Rawdon, WRY. Job died at Rawdon on September 19th, 1898. From the September 21st 1898 edition

of the Yorkshire Evening Post, this item:

> DEATH: FIRTH – September 19, at South Street, Rawdon. Job Firth, foreman mason. The funeral will leave his late residence tomorrow (Thursday) Sept 22 at 3 p.m. for the Baptist Chapel. Friends please accept this only intimation.

In the 1891 & 1901 census records, Harriet, a widow, was enumerated in Rawdon living with her daughter, Florence. Harriet died there in the 2nd quarter of 1902.

Henry Kemp COCKERLINE (1827-1893)

Servant & day waiter in East Riding Yorkshire

Henry COCKERLINE [Household #6], the 6th child of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). He was born September 6th at Holmpton and baptized there on September 21st, 1827. In the 1841 census (age 13) and 1851 census (age 22, gentleman's servant), Henry was living at home with his parents in Holmpton. On October 25th, 1855, Henry married Ann ROBINSON (1830-1899) at Rise, ERY. They had 5 children: Catherine (b: 1856); William Henry (b: 1858); Harry (b: 1863); Elizabeth (b: 1867); & Frederick A.R. (b: 1875).

According to the census records, Henry had a variety of employments over the years and, based the location of the baptisms of his children, these jobs were in various localities. Married in 1855, his first two children were baptized at Roundhay, WRY and Ilkley, WRY. By the time of the 1861 census, Henry was a butler in Halifax, ERY. In the 1871 census, Henry & family were enumerated in Ardwick, Lancashire where his occupation was noted as "domestic servant, unemployed". In 1881, Henry & family were enumerated at 10 Rusholme Grove in Rusholme, Lancashire where Henry was employed as a day waiter. In 1891, living at the same address, Henry was noted as "living on own means".

Henry died and was buried at St James's Church Burial Ground, Birch-In-Rusholme, Manchester, Lancashire on September 9th, 1893. His wife, Ann, died there and was buried with her husband on November 12th, 1899. From the tombstone inscription:

> In affectionate remembrance of William Henry, the beloved son of Henry and Ann COCKERLIN born March 30th 1858 died February 22nd 1877. "In the midst of life we are in death". Also Henry Kemp COCKERLIN born September 6th 1827 died September 9th 1893. Also Ann, wife of the above died November 12th, 1899 aged 69 years. "At Rest".

Henry COCKERLINE (1828-1898)

Mariner, then Second hand clothes dealer in Myton, East Riding Yorkshire

Henry has not been located in either the 1841 or 1851 census as he was likely at sea. He was the 12th of 12 children born to John COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872), born in Hedon on February 23rd, 1828 and baptized 4 months later (July 3rd, 1828) at the Independent Tabernacle in Sculcoates. On February 3rd, 1853 he was admitted to the Dreadnaught Seaman's Hospital at Greenwich, Kent County, England. The Dreadnaught was a naval warship that had been converted into a floating mission hospital to provide relief to sick or injured seamen. According to the admission entry, Henry, age 25, was an able body seaman with 13 years' experience. The record further stated that he sailed out of Liverpool and his last service had been on the 278-ton brig Energy operated by Harvie & Company.

Little is known about Henry's maritime life. On January 25th, 1866, Henry received a Second Mates certificate. Then on February 1st, 1867, this item appeared in the Hull Packet:

> **Alleged Ship Desertion:** Henry Cockerline, second-mate of the steamer Sappo, of this port, was charged with deserting that vessel. Mr. Hearfleld appeared for the owners Messrs. Wilson, The prisoner and two others had failed to go in the vessel, which sailed for Cronstadt on the previous day. It was the last voyage of the vessel this season to that port. Probably, if the vessel had gone south, as customary, the men would not have deserted. The prisoner said he left through illness, but only informed the captain twelve hours before the vessel's departure. Mr. Hearfield stated that if this was the case, he should wish the prisoner to be punished. The prisoner produced a medical certificate, but it not being sufficiently definite he was remanded until Saturday, to produce a proper one. He was liberated on entering into his own recognizance to appear.

On March 28th 1854, Henry married the widow Jane McDONALD née TUKE (1824-1873) at All Saints Church in Hull. In the 1861 census, Henry, a mariner, and his wife Jane were enumerate at 2, Bowling Green Court, West Street, Holy Trinity, Hull. In the 1871 census, Henry & Jane were enumerated at George's Place on Osborne Street, in Kingston Upon Hull. In both the 1861 and 1871 census, no children were enumerated living with the couple. Jane died in the 1st quarter of 1873 and then on March 30th, 1874 Henry married Mary BARLOW (1844-1875). Unfortunately Henry's second wife died in the second week of September 1875 and was buried at Cawthorne, WRY on September 12th, 1875.

On March 28th, 1876 Henry married Mary McCARTY (1823-1895). In the 1881 and 1891 census records, Henry, now a second hand clothes dealer, and Mary were enumerated at 28, South Street in Myton. In neither of the census records were any children enumerated living with Henry and his wife. Mary died at Myton in the 1st quarter of 1895; Henry died there in the 2nd quarter of May 1898.

Hepsibah COCKERLINE (1824-1911)

Hepsibah has not been located in the 1841 census. Baptized at Ottringham, ERY on February 22nd, 1824, she was the 3rd child of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hannah WILSON (1800-1888). At Drypool on October 9th, 1842 she married William JOHNSON (1821-1845), a blacksmith in that community.

Hepsibah and her husband had two children: William (1843) who died as an infant, and William Edward (1845). William, her husband, died at Ottringham, ERY at the beginning of July 1845 and was buried there on the 4th of that month. The following year Hepsibah remarried at Ottringham. On November 16th, 1846, she married Edward HAGGIT (1819-1914). Hepsibah & Edward had 14 children: John (b: 1847), Edward (b: 1848), Hannah (b: 1850), Hepsibah (b: 1852), Hannah (b: 1852), Anthony (b: 1853), George (b: 1857), Frederick (b: 1857), Ann (b: 1860), Arthur (b: 1862), Robert (b: 1864), Clara (b: 1865), Clara (b: 1868), & Albert (b: 1871).

In the 1851 census Hepsibah, her new husband and two children were enumerated living in Ottringham, ERY. In the fall of 1853, Hepsibah and her family sailed to Canada, finally settling there in Huron County, Canada West. The family has not been found in the 1861 census, but Hepsibah's son by her first husband, William JOHNSON, has been identified living in Clinton, Huron County, Ontario. In 1871, Hepsibah, her husband Edward and 11 of their children were enumerated in Blythe, Huron County, Ontario. Hepsibah & Edward continued to live there where they were enumerated in the 1881, 1891, and 1901 census records. Just two months before the 1911 census, on February 23rd, 1911, Hepsibah died of congestion of the lungs and was buried in the Londesboro United Church cemetery. At the age of 95, Edward died on April 4th, 1914 and was buried with his wife in Londesboro.

Isabella COCKERLINE (1826-1876)

Isabella [Household #32] was the 11th of 12 children born to John COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872). In the 1841 census, Isabella (age

14) was single and living at home with her widowed mother in Myton. Born at Hedon on February 5th, 1826, Isabella was baptized at the Independent Tabernacle in Sculcoates on July 3rd, 1828 – the same day as her brother William.

On April 12th, 1846 at Holy Trinity Church in Hull, she married Thomas HODGSON (abt 1825-unknown), a slater. They had 4 children, all born in Hull: Mary (b: 1849), Sarah (b: 1851), Alice (b: 1861), & Thomas (b: 1865). Both Isabella & Thomas were enumerated in South Myton in 1871. Isabella died there in the third quarter of 1876. Thomas has not been found in subsequent census records.

Jane COCKERLINE née MURRAY (*abt* 1821-1850)

Jane MURRAY [Household #37] was the wife of John COCKERLINE (1816-1851), a mariner sailing out of Glasgow, Scotland. Born about 1821, Jane was the daughter of Captain Robert Abercrombie MURRAY & Agnes GARDNER of Grangemouth. Jane Murray & John COCKERLINE married at Falkirk, Stirling, Scotland on Jan 27th, 1840; they had 2 children: Agnes (b: 1841) and Ann (b: 1845).

In the 1841 census, John is presumed to have been at sea as Jane and her daughter Agnes were enumerated in Falkirk with Jane's mother. At some point in 1850, Jane died. In the 1851 census, the two children were enumerated with Jane's parents in Grangemouth, Falkirk. John died 'at sea' about March 7th, 1851, per this item in the March 12th, 1851 edition of the Newcastle Courant:

> MARINE INTELLIGENCE: A Dutch galiot arrived to-day, reports having picked up in the Weiser, a dictionary. On the inside of the back is written, "John COCKERLINE, Abbot's Haugh, 10th August, 1844." Various pieces of wreck were also passed in the Weiser.

James COCKERLINE (1816-1890)

Mariner, then Wine merchant foreman in Hedon, East Riding Yorkshire

James has not been identified in the 1841 census. Baptized at Hedon on May 27th, 1816, James was the 4th of 9 children born to William COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Tomlinson SIMPSON (1784-1872) of Preston by Hedon, ERY. On March 2nd, 1841, James married Mary SHARPE (1822-1873), the daughter of John & Elizabeth SHARP of Hedon. James & Mary had 6 children: Elizabeth (b: 1841), John (b: 1845), James (b: 1850), Ernest (b: 1855), Mary (b: 1858), & Ada (b: 1859). Based on James' marriage registration and on his sons' marriage

registrations, James was a mariner. However, in the 1851 and subsequent census records, James' occupation was indicated as wine porter / wine merchant foreman.

The couple has not been identified in the 1841 census. In 1851, 1861 & 1871, James, his wife and their children were enumerated in Hull. The family, however, appears to have spent some time in Gainsborough, Lincolnshire between 1867 and 1871 as two of their children were born there. Mary died about August of 1873 and in the 1881 census, James, now a widower, was living with his daughter Mary in Sculcoates. James died there on October 14th, 1890.

James COCKERLINE (1816-1894)

Butcher in Myton, East Riding Yorkshire

James [Household #32] was the 7th of 12 children born to John COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872). Census records are consistent in indicating he was born in Patrington about 1816, but no birth or baptismal records have been found. Church records for Patrington are complete but it has been noted that no child of Robert & Mary were baptized there after 1814. It is suspected that James was baptized at an independent church in Hull; however, not all these records are publicly available.

In the 1841 census, James, was a butcher, single and living at home with his widowed mother, Mary COCKERLINE, at 187 Osborne Street, Mary's Square in Myton. On January 7th, 1844, James married Mary LEONARD (abt 1822-1882), the daughter of James LEONARD who was also a butcher. They had 4 children. In the 1851 census, James & Mary were enumerated on Chapel Street in East Sculcoates. Enumerated along with them were three children: Henry (b: 1842); James (b: 1845) & Sarah (b: 1847). A fourth child, John, was born in 1852.

The circumstance surrounding son Henry's birth have not been explored other than to note that at the time of their marriage, James was listed as being a bachelor and Mary a spinster. Of note, their first child was born 2 years before their marriage. No baptism for Henry has been found, but in the quarterly birth registrations for Sculcoates, ERY, a birth was register for a Henry Cockerline LEONARD in the 3rd quarter of 1842.

James' wife Mary died on January 24th, 1882 and was buried at the North Side Sculcoates Church Graveyard. Three years later, James married the widow Margaret VARNDELL. Marriage banns were dated November 29th, 1885 and they married at All Saints church on December 14th, 1885. The 1891 census

records indicate that Margaret was 24 years his junior, he being 74 and she being 50.

James died August 22nd, 1894 and was buried at North Side Sculcoates Graveyard along with his first wife Mary and his son John who had died February 26th, 1887. His second wife Margaret died at the workhouse in Sculcoates in 1917 and was buried at All Saints Church in Sculcoates on February 17th.

James COCKERLINE (1820-1851)

Musician & Hairdresser in London, England

James [Household #30] was baptized at Patrington on December 24th, 1820, the 7th of 7 children born to Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857). On June 30th, 1840, James married Mary ROBINSON (abt 1819-1844) at St Mary's Church in Sculcoates, ERY. In the 1841 census records, James, a hairdresser, and his wife Mary were enumerated boarding with a William HUNTER on Dock Street in Hull. Their son James was baptized at Patrington on August 26, 1842 but died and was buried there on September 6th.

At some point about 1843, James & Mary moved to London where Mary died at St Thomas's Hospital and was buried on October 3rd, 1844. About a year later, on September 22nd, 1845 at St Julian's Church in Norwich, Norfolk County, James married Elizabeth LADLEY (abt 1823-1851). In the 1851 census, James & Elizabeth were enumerated at Bethnal Green in Middlesex County. Shortly after the 1851 census, James died and was buried there on May 29th, 1851. Elizabeth died at St Thomas's Hospital in London and was buried on December 21st, 1851.

There is an 1837 County of York *Register of Persons Charged with an Indictable Offence* that indicates that one James COCKERLINE, age 16, was charged with "larceny by a servant" and sentenced to serve 6 months imprisonment. Whether this is the same James COCKERLINE is uncertain but his age indicates an 1820/21 birthday and there was no other James COCKERLINEs born in this timeframe.

Jemina COCKERLINE (1828-1899)

Domestic Nurse

Jemina [Household #18] was baptized at Roos, ERY on July 20th, 1828, the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865). Jemina did marry in 1872; however, she had 8 children before that date: James (b: 1845), Mary Ann (b: 1850), Maria (b: 1851), Mary Caroline (b: 1854), William

Thomas (b: 1856), Maria (b: 1858), Maria (b: 1862), & Matthew Robert (b: 1865).

In the 1841 census, Jemina was enumerated in Roos with her parents. In 1851, she was enumerated in Elsternwick, ERY as a servant to Frances CARR, a widower. In 1861, Jemina and three of her children were enumerated living with her mother in Roos. At the time of the 1871 census, Jemina and two of her children were enumerated at the Patrington Union Workhouse.

At Hull on March 18th, 1872, she married William James BELL (abt 1811-1873), a whitesmith. However, it was a short marriage as William died about February of 1873. In the 1881 & 1891 census records, Jemina BELL, a widow and domestic nurse, was enumerated living with her daughter Maria SUSHAMS in Kingston upon Hull. Jemina died in Hull in the second quarter of 1899.

John COCKERLINE (1782-1863)

Butcher in Hull, East Riding Yorkshire

John [Household #29] was the son of Edmund COCKERLINE (1750-1783) and Isabel HULL (1756-1796), baptized at Skeffling, ERY on November 2nd, 1782. At Holy Trinity church in Hull on June 22nd, 1813, he married the widow Mary Ann THOMPSON (*abt* 1783-1846) – the name of her first husband and her maiden name being unknown.

John & Mary Ann had 5 children: Christiana (b: 1813), Henry (b: 1815), Amelia (b: 1817), John (b: 1820), & Christiana Easter (b: 1823). What is known about John is derived from church and civil records related to his wife and children. At the time of the deaths of their first two children (1815, 1818), church records indicate he was living on Blanket Row in Kingston upon Hull. Subsequent baptismal records of his children (1817, 1820, 1823) provided no address but indicated his profession as a butcher.

In the 1841 census, John, a butcher, aged 58, was enumerated at Granby Square on Blanket Row in Hull. Mary was noted as age 57. Enumerated with them were their three surviving children: Christiana, John (also a butcher) & Amelia.

John's wife died on September 15th, 1846. Based on the burial records, she was 62 years of age at the time of her death suggesting she was born about 1783. From the September 18th, 1846 edition of Hull Advertiser & Exchange Gazette, this notice:

> On Tuesday, the 15th instance, aged 62, Mary Ann, the beloved wife of Mr. John COCKERLINE, butcher. She was much respected by all her relatives and friends.

Mary's burial was registered on September 18th at the Salem Independent Chapel on Cogan Street in Kingston upon Hull.

In the 1851 census John (age 68), a butcher – still at Granby Square – was enumerated with his daughter Christiana. In the 1861 census, John (age 78), a butcher, was enumerated at the same location. Enumerated with him at 4 Granby Square were his daughter Christiana, her husband James HARROW and their three daughters Mary Ann, Patricia and Clementine.

On February 16th, 1863, at age 80, John died of chronic bronchitis. On his death certificate, John was noted as a master butcher. A note attached to the probate of his will indicated that he had owned three properties, one on Nile Street and two on King Street.

John COCKERLINE (1784-1849)

Agricultural Labourer in Ottringham, East Riding, Yorkshire

This particular COCKERLINE [Household #11] is an enigma. The only records that seem to fit each other shed no light on how he fits in to the overall COCKERLINE family tree. In the parish record for Ottringham, there is an entry for the March 18th 1849 burial of John COCKERLINE, age 64, who died in Patrington, ERY. In the 1841 census for Owthorne there was a John COCKERLINE, age 57, an agricultural labourer. Then there is an 1807 Mate's Certificate for a John COCKERLINE, age 23, of Holmpton. These three records all suggest a birth date about 1784, which would correspond with a baptismal records found in the Hollym parish record:

1784 Apr 13, John son of John COKERLINE of Nevil's, lab, bapt.

Unfortunately, the identity of his father is unknown. So while these four facts strongly suggest that this person was indeed an identifiable COCKERLINE, they do not provide sufficient context to fit this individual into any family group. Did he marry? Did he have children? At the present time, these questions remain unanswered.

John COCKERLINE-AKE (1797-1866)

Carpenter in Welwick, East Riding, Yorkshire

John COCKERLINE [Household #23] was the first born son of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) of Welwick and Catherine AKE (1766-1817), a couple who only married the day of the baptism of their second child, Martin. John was baptized at Welwick on November 12th, 1797, with his name being entered in the parish register as John AKE. However, in subsequent records – including his

father's will – he was referred to as John COCKERLINE.

On November 19th, 1821, John married Margaret COCKERLINE (1791-1823). While Margaret's half-brothers were second cousins to John, Margaret herself was not a blood relative of John's. The couple had no children when Margret died about August 6th, 1823. She was buried at Easington, ERY on August 8th, 1823.

On December 19th, 1829, John married Elizabeth MASON (1794-1868) of Welwick. They had two children: Sarah Ann MASON (b: 1828) and Francis Ake COCKERLINE (b: 1834). In the 1841 census, John, a carpenter, was enumerated in Weeton, ERY with his wife and two children. In 1851 and 1861, John and Margaret were enumerated in Welwick. John died at Welwick on February 16th, 1866; Margaret on December 23rd, 1868. Both were buried in Welwick.

John COCKERLINE (1797-1875)

Gardner & Coachman in Ripon, Yorkshire; Farmer in LaColle, Quebec

John COCKERLINE [Household #38] was baptized at Holmpton on August 14th, 1792, the son of William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) & Esther BARRETT (1761-1845). At Easington, ERY on March 31st, 1823, John married Mary JACKSON (1803-1869), the daughter of Marmaduke JACKSON & Frances STAVLEY. Over the course of the next 10 years, they had 8 children.

John worked as a gardener and coachman at Cayton Hall in South Stainley near Ripley. From The ***Gardener's Magazine and Register of Rural & Domestic Improvement*** By J C London, 1828, pg 410:

> Yorkshire Horticultural Society held their summer meetings in Leeds on July 2nd, 1828
> Culinary Vegetables: For the best cucumbers, to John Cockerline, gardener to Richard Lacy, Esq., Cayton Hall, Ripley

Of their first 4 children, Ann (b: 1823) & Esther (b: 1825) were baptized at Holmpton, ERY; William (b: 1829) & John (b: 1832) were baptized at South Stainley. In 1833, the family left England for Lower Canada. At Liverpool, they boarded the barque Fair Isle Shields and arrived in New York City on November 21st, 1833. From New York, they headed up the Hudson river to the north shore of Lake Champlain and made their way to Bogtown, Lower Canada where Mary's parents had settled a few years earlier. Their next 4 children were born & baptized there: Mary (b: 1835), Elizabeth (b: 1838), Charles (b: 1841) & Thomas (b: 1846).

The 1841 and 1861 census records for this area seem to no longer exist, but the family was enumerated there in the 1851 census for St Bernard de LaColle. John's wife, Mary, died on January 3rd, 1869 and John died on Nov 17th, 1872. Both were buried in the Methodist cemetery at Henrysburg, Quebec, CANADA.

John COCKERLINE (1807-1867)

Tailor is Sculcoates, East Riding Yorkshire

John COCKERLINE [Household #34] was a tailor in West Sculcoates, Yorkshire. Baptized at Patrington on March 4th, 1807, John was the 3rd of 12 children born to Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833) & his wife, Mary PRESTON (1786-1872). On February 28th, 1830 at Holy Trinity Church, John married Frances MAY (1805-1878). John & Frances had 4 children all born before 1842: Mary Susannah (b: 1831), Anne (b: 1834), Robert Edward (b: 1836), & John (b: 1841).

In the 1841 census, John, his wife and their four children were enumerated living at 32 Silverster Street in Sculcoates. They were enumerated at the same location in the 1851 and 1861 census records. John died in Hull in the first quarter of 1867. From the January 26th 1867 edition of the Hull Daily News 26 January 1867, Pg 8:

> DEATHS - January 19th, at his residence, Great Thornton street, aged 59 years, Mr John Cockerline

In the 1871 census and the 1872 city directory, Frances and daughter Anne were noted as grocery shopkeepers on Thornton Street, South Myton. Frances died in the 3rd quarter of 1878 and daughter Anne continued on as a grocer.

John COCKERLINE (1816-1851)

Sailor out of Glasgow, Scotland

John Cockerline was not enumerated in the 1841 census. Baptized at Holmpton, ERY on September 8th, 1816, he was the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). In an 1893 letter from John's parents to John's grandparents, William Barrett COCKERLINE states that his son John was a sailor sailing between Glasgow and Rotterdam. This was likely with the Carron Iron Works Company in Falkirk, Stirling, Scotland.

On January 27th, 1840 at Falkirk, John married Jane MURRAY (1822-1850), the daughter of Captain Robert Abercrombie MURRAY & Agnes GARDNER. They had two children: Agnes (b: 1840) and Annie (b: 1845). John's wife Jane died in 1850 and John died at sea about March 7th, 1851. In 1851, daughters Agnes and

Annie were enumerated living with their grandparents, Robert & Agnes MURRAY, in Grangemouth, Stirling, Scotland.

From the March 14th & 21st editions of Newcastle Courant, the following items:

> From The Newcastle Courant (Newcastle-upon-Tyne, ENGLAND), Friday, March 14, 1851.
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> Wednesday, March 12th
>
> A Dutch galiot, arrived to-day, reports having picked up in the Weiser, a dictionary. On the inside of the back is written, "John COCKERLINE, Abbot's Haugh, 10th August, 1844." Various pieces of wreck were also passed in the Weiser.

From The Newcastle Courant etc. (Newcastle-upon-Tyne, ENGLAND), Friday, March 21, 1851.

> James HALCROW and James GIBSON, the only part of the crew saved from the wreck of the Northumberland, of this port, stranded on her passage to Hamburgh, arrived at Shields on Saturday by the steam-packet. The names of the men who suffered are as follows: William KIRBY, master; William ROBSON, James ARTHUR, Richard GUY, John COCKERLINE, William CROSS, James COOK, and William WOOD. CROSS was the mate and formerly of Scarborough; COCKERLINE belonged to the neighbourhood of Dimlington; but the whole of the sufferers had sailed for some time out of this port. The two men saved were taken off the roundtop by the pilots, and landed at Bremerhaven. The vessel listed over during the night, and the others were washed overboard and drowned. The two men who escaped were much exhausted and ill with having been some time partially in the water, and on application to the counsul at Bremerhaven for medical aid they were refused. On arrival at Cuxhaven the counsul, seeing the state they were in, immediately procured medical aid. Besides refusing them medical assistance at Bremerhaven, they were refused clothes to change themselves, though HALCROW was without a waistcoat. Such is the statement of the men.

John COCKERLINE (*abt* 1818-*unknown*)

Stonemason in Hull, Yorkshire

This John COCKERLINE has not been identified in the 1841 census. Just two references to this particular COCKERLINE have been found. In the Sculcoates St Mary Parish register was the following entry:

> Marriage January 1, 1849
>
> John Cockerline, 30, bachelor, stonemason, Sykes Street, son of Patrick Cockerline, stonemason and Ann Boynton, 24, spinster, Sykes Street, daughter of Benjamin Boynton, Shoemaker. By Banns.
>
> Witnesses George Jefferson and Rebecca Jefferson.

Five months later, an additional reference to John COCKERLINE has been found in the baptism of his son at Rowley, Yorkshire.

June 24th, 1849 – Thomas, son of John & Ann COCKERLINE, stonemason of Riplingham.

No further reference to Patrick, John, or Thomas COCKERLINE has been found. Ann BOYNTON (b: 1824) has been identified as the daughter of Benjamin BOYNTON and Ann ETHERINGTON. However, researching her family has shed no light on the identity of her husband, John COCKERLINE. The conclusion drawn is that the surname may have been similar to "COCKERLINE" and recorded incorrectly by the parish priest. In support of this hypothesis, the 1849 civil birth registration for John's son Thomas was registered as COCHRANE, not COCKERLINE; however, no further reference to a Patrick, John or Thomas COCHRANE has been found.

John COCKERLINE (1820-1905)

Butcher in Hull, Yorkshire

John COCKERLINE [Household #29] was baptized at Holy Trinity church in Hull on March 8th, 1819, the son of John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) and Mary Ann THOMPSON (1783-1846). At the time of the 1841 and the 1851 census, John, a butcher, was living at home with his parents on Blanket Row in Hull. On August 28th, 1853 he married Hannah Mason JACKSON, (1828-1907), the daughter of Robert JACKSON & Ann MASON of Hull. John & Hannah had 3 children: John Henry (b: 1854); Walter Herbert (b: 1856); & Ada Sabrina (b: 1858). In the 1861 and the 1871 census records, John and family were enumerated at Nile Street in Kingston upon Hull. From 1881 through 1901, John & Hannah were enumerated at 86, Campbell Street in Myton. John died on August 8th, 1905; Hannah on May 18th, 1907.

John COCKERLINE (1822-1899)

Farmer in Huron County, Ontario

John COCKERLINE was the 2nd child of 7 children of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hannah WILSON (1800-1888). Based on a family bible of John COCKERLINE & Eliza RAFTON, John was born at Ottringham, ERY on March 24th, 1822 and baptized there on March 25th. On December 31st, 1849, he married Eliza Gorbutt RAFTON (1822-1888) of Waxholme, ERY.

John was likely enumerated in the 1841 census, but there were three people with the same name and of similar age identified in

The Trouble with John

In the 1841 census for England, three John COCKERLINEs were enumerated in Yorkshire – each aged 15-19:

* John COCKERLINE (Household #3), age 15-19, a labourer in Halsham;
* John COCKERLINE (Household

the 1841 census records [*Households #3, #21 & #25*]. At the current time, there is insufficient information to determine which one was in each household. (*see adjacent sidebar: The Trouble with John).* In the 1851 census for England, he and his wife were enumerated living with his wife's family in Waxholme, ERY. Interestingly, he was also enumerated in the 1851 Canadian census. The Canadian census had been delayed, so while the English census was taken on March 30th, 1851, the Canadian census was not begun until January 12th, 1852. With the voyage typically being a six-week trip, this effectively puts the family's departure from England in the mid- to late-1851.

John has not been identified in the 1871 census, but in the 1861 & 1881 census records, John and his wife were enumerated in Hullett, Huron County, Ontario. Eliza died there on May 5th, 1888 and was buried in the Blyth Union Cemetery in Huron County. After his wife's death, John moved to North Bay in the Nipissing District of Ontario. There, on May 5th, 1891, he married his brother Robert's widow, Elizabeth PEACOCK (1849-1913). Eight years later, on May 12, 1899, he died of stomach cancer at Morris, Huron County and was buried in Blyth Union Cemetery.

One year later, his widowed wife Elizabeth was enumerated in Marquette Township, Mackinac County, Michigan, USA where she was listed a housekeeper to a Richard SMITH. Then on July 19th, 1900 in Sault Ste. Marie, Algoma District, Ontario, Elizabeth & Richard married. Elizabeth died in Rudyard Township, Chippewa County, Michigan, USA on January 13th, 1913 and was buried in North Bay, Ontario.

John Carrick COCKERLINE (1824-1870)

Grocer in Seaton, East Riding Yorkshire

John COCKERLINE was the second of the three John COCKERLINEs of similar age who have been identified in the 1841 census records [*Households #3, #21 & #25*].

John Carrick COCKERLINE, baptized at Keyingham on September 1st, 1824, was the 6th of 8 children born to Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) & Mary BURRELL (1789-1852). In the 1841 census records, John has been tentatively identified as a farm labourer in the employ of William GILES of Halsham, ERY (*see sidebar: The Trouble with John*). In 1851 John was enumerated in Skirlaugh working as a farm servant in the employ of Joseph STICKNEY. About March of 1859 at Beverley, he married Mary Ann GREENSIDES of Ulrome, ERY. They were no known children of this marriage.

In the 1861 census, John and his wife Mary Ann were grocers enumerated at Seaton, ERY. John died there on January 31st, 1870 and was buried in Sigglesthorne, ERY on February 3rd. In the 1871 census, John's widow, a grocer, was enumerated on Front Street in Seaton. On May 11th, 1873, Mary Ann married John JEFFERSON, a wholesale grocer. In 1881, Mary Ann and her new husband were enumerated in Great Driffield, ERY where they were wholesale grocers. When and where she died is not known.

John COCKERLINE (*dates unknown*)

Three John COCKERLINEs of similar age [*Households #3, 21, 25*] have been found in the 1841 census records, but only 2 of these 3 can be identified in other non-census sources. The 1841 census is the only reference that has been found for this 3rd John COCKERLINE. So who was this third John COCKERLINE? Perhaps he was born into a non-conformist family. Perhaps he died before the 1851 census. Perhaps the enumerator erred in transcribing his surname. Or perhaps the John COCKERLINE (1820-1905) documented on Pg 75 was counted twice in the census records: once at home with his parents and once on a farm where he was working This researcher is inclined to think this last possibility is the most likely.

John COCKERLINE (1832-1914)

Carpenter & Farmer in Newton County, Indiana, USA

John COCKERLINE [Household #38] was born at South Stainley, ERY on March 21st, 1832, the 4th of 8 children born to John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary Ann JACKSON (1803-1869). In October of 1833, the family left England for Canada. The 1841 and 1861 census records for the area where the family settled have not survived, but in the 1851 census, John was living with his parents in LaColle, Canada East.

On September 4th, 1866, he married Elizabeth "Minnie" WHYTE (1839-1870), the daughter of Robert & Elizabeth WHYTE of LaColle, Quebec. Two years later, the couple moved to Jefferson, Newton County, Indiana, USA where Minnie died on April 1st, 1870. John and his daughter Minnie, age 1, were enumerated there in 1870.

John temporarily returned to Quebec where on September 28th, 1876 he married Jane GRAHAM (1840-1906), the daughter of Alexander & Jane GRAHAM of LaColle. On December 16th, 1876 John & Jane buried their newborn son, John A,

in Sheldon, Iroquois County, Illinois. In the 1880 census records, John, Jane and Minnie were enumerated in York, Benton County, Indiana where John was listed as a farmer. By 1900, John and his wife were back in Sheldon, Illinois where Jane died on January 9th, 1906. By the time of the 1910 census, John, now age 78 was living with his daughter Minnie KERRICK in Parma, Canyon County, Idaho. John died there on September 24th, 1914 and was buried with his two wives and son in Sheldon, Illinois, USA.

John COCKERLINE (1839-1844)

Died as a child

John [Household #24] was baptized in Welwick, ERY on February 3rd, 1839, the 5th child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-1860). In the 1841 census records, he was living at home with his parents. About March 4th, 1844, he died and was buried in Welwick on the 7th.

John COCKERLINE (1840-1871)

Brewer in Myton, East Riding Yorkshire

John COCKERLINE [Household #28] was the fourth child of Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864) & Sarah ROBINSON (*abt* 1804-1887). Baptized at Hedon on April 4th, 1840, he was enumerated with his parents in the 1841 census (age 1). The family has not yet been found in the 1851 census records, but the family was still in the vicinity as this news item from the September 26th, 1851 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times sheds some light on his childhood:

> Wednesday, before George COOKMAN and James HENWOOD, Esqrs.
>
> John COCKERLINE, a youth about 12 years old, was brought up charged with stealing some apples from a garden on the Anlaby road, belonging to Mr. HODGSON, grocer. The offence was clearly proved, and Mr. HODGSON stated that he had repeatedly made complaints to the police as to depredations committed upon his apple trees. After a suitable reprimand, the prisoner's father was directed to be bound over in sureties for the good behaviour of the lad, who was thereupon discharged.

On September 13th, 1860, John married Sarah FRANKS (abt 1836-1904) of Hull. In the registration of John's marriage, his profession was noted as a brewer. In the 1861 census, the couple was enumerated at Bakerhouse Square in Myton, but at some point between the 1861 and 1871 census records, John and his family were in Vaasa in the Duchy of Finland where their second and third children were born. John's first born, Martha (b: 1862), was born in Myton as was John & Sarah's fourth child, Mary Elizabeth (b: 1868). Their two middle

children Robert (b: 1864) and Esther Ann (b: 1866) were both born in Vaasa, Finland. There, according to the baptismal records, John was noted as a brewer.

On February 27th, 1871 John died of phthisis (tuberculosis), which his death certificate indicated he had contracted some six months earlier.

John COCKERLINE (1841-1864)

Solicitor's Clerk in Hull, East Riding Yorkshire

Born on September 11th, 1841 – 2 months after the 1841 census enumeration – John was not enumerated in that census. He was the 4th of 4 children born to John COCKERLINE (1807-1834) & Frances MAY (1805-1878) of Sculcoates. Based on his baptismal records, he was baptized at age 15 in Sculcoates on August 24th 1856. In the 1851 (age 9) and 1861 (age 19) census records, John was living at home with his parents in Sculcoates. According to the 1861 census records, John was employed as an attorney's clerk. He died on June 7th, 1864, as documented in the following item in the June 10th, 1864 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times:

> Death: June 7th, at Hull, Mr. John COCKERLINE, solicitor's clerk, aged 22 years.

John never married and had no known children.

Joseph COCKERLINE (1841-1841)

Died as an infant

Joseph was not enumerated in the 1841 census. No baptismal or burial record has yet been found, but Joseph's birth and death were recorded in the 1st quarter of 1841 in civil registration of births / marriages /deaths for Patrington, ERY. Joseph is presumed to be the son of Mary Ann COCKERLINE (1826-1903) of Roos. The following year, there was a second Joseph COCKERLINE whose birth was recorded in Patrington in the 2nd quarter of 1842 and whose death was recorded in the 3rd quarter of 1843. Then in the 2nd quarter of 1844, the birth of a third Joseph COCKERLINE was registered at Patrington. For this third Joseph, a baptismal record has been found that identifies the mother as Mary Ann COCKERLINE (1826-1903) of the Patrington Union Workhouse. It is *assumed* that all 3 of the Joseph COCKERLINEs were the children of Mary Ann.

Maria COCKERLINE (1800-1887)

Schoolmistress in Hollym, East Riding Yorkshire

Maria [Household #5] was baptized at Kilnsea, ERY on April 27th, 1800. She was the daughter of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840). There is no record of her ever marrying or of having any children. In the 1841 &

1851 census records, Maria was listed as a housekeeper living with her father in Hollym. In 1861 & 1871, Maria was listed as a schoolmistress living in Hollym. At some point in time, she moved to Durham as in 1881 she was enumerated as a boarder in Seaham, Durham. She died there about November of 1887.

Maria COCKERLINE (1832-1842)

Died as an child

Maria [Household #18], baptized at Roos, ERY on May 27th, 1832, was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865). In 1841 (age 7) she was enumerated in Roos with her parents. She died in Roos and was buried there on February 9th, 1842.

Martha COCKERLINE, the widow FOSTER (1800-*unknown*)

Exceedingly little is known about Martha [Household #39], the wife of Thomas COCKERLINE (1792-1869) of Thornhill, Ontario. Martha married Thomas at Holy Trinity church in Thornhill, Canada West on November 17th, 1839. As the church records indicate, she was a widow; hence FOSTER was probably not her maiden name. The couple had 3 children. The first two children, twins Martha and William Barrett, were baptized at Holy Trinity Church in Thornhill on September 11th, 1842. William Barrett (age 2 months) died and was buried at Thornhill on October 11, 1842. No subsequent record has been found for their daughter Martha, but family lore states that one of their children died at age 14 months and it has generally been assumed that this referred to Martha. Their third child, Emily Esther (1844-1912) survived to adulthood.

The couple has not yet been identified in the 1841 census of Canada, but the census records from 1851 through 1881 indicate that Martha was born in Canada West (Ontario) about 1800. In 1851 & 1861, she was enumerated in Thornhill with her husband Thomas COCKERLINE and their one surviving child, Emily Esther. After her husband died in 1869, she was enumerated in Whitby, Durham County, Ontario and living with her daughter's family in Pickering, Ontario in 1881. No further reference to Martha has been found after the 1881 census and it is presumed she died at some point between the 1881 and 1891 census enumerations.

Martin COCKERLINE-AKE (1799-1867)

No known occupation

Martin COCKERLINE-AKE [Household #24] was the second-born son of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) and Catherine AKE (1766-1817) of Welwick. He was

baptized at Welwick on December 26th, 1797. With his parents being married the day of his baptism, his name was entered in the parish register as Martin AKE. He never married and had no children.

In the 1841 & 1851, he was enumerated living with his brother Thomas, an innkeeper & victualler in Welwick, ERY. In the 1861 census he was enumerated as a boarder, living with the family of his nephew George COCKERLINE, a farmer in Welwick. In none of the census records is there an occupation indicated. Martin died at Welwick on December 4th, 1867.

Mary COCKERLINE née PRESTON (1784-1872)

On November 12th, 1802 at Patrington, ERY, Mary PRESTON [Household #32] married Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833), a brewer in Sculcoates. Mary PRESTON's ancestry is a mystery. No details about Mary are provided in the marriage registration other than the notation that both were "of the parish". Subsequent census records consistently affirm Mary's place of birth as Patrington. The 1851, 1861 & 1871 census records also indicate a birth date of about 1784-86. In her 1872 civil death registration, Mary's age was given as 88 suggesting a birth about 1784. To date, no records have been found documenting a Mary PRESTON having been born / baptized in Patrington ERY during the time between 1780 and 1790; alas, her ancestry remains unknown.

Robert & Mary had 12 children, 10 of who survived childhood and were enumerated in the 1841 census of England. Their first two children died in infancy: James (b: 1804) and Mary (b: 1805). The next four children were all married and had their own families before the date of the 1841 census: John (b: 1807), Robert (b: 1809), Edmund (b: 1811), Ann (b: 1814), James (b: 1816), George (b: 1820), Charles (b: 1822), William (b: 1824), & Henry (b: 1814). In the 1841 census, Mary, a widow, was living at 187, Osborne Street, Mary's Square in Myton with five of her children: James (b: 1816), George (b: 1820), Charles (b: 1822), William (b: 1824), & Isabella (b: 1826). Mary's youngest child, Henry (b: 1828) – who would have been age 13 at the time of the 1841 census – was not living with the family.

In the 1851 census Mary was living with her son William at 14 Little Queen Street in Myton. At the time of the 1861 census, she was enumerated at 12 Humber Street, listed as a servant living with the family of William H LAURENCE, a wine & spirit merchant in Hull. In 1871, she was living with her daughter Isabella HODGSON's family at 24 Osborne Street in Myton. On September 21st, 1872, at the age of 88, she died there at her daughter's home. It

is not known where she was buried.

Mary Ann COCKERLINE, the widow THOMPSON (1783-1846)

Mary Ann [Household #29] was the wife of John COCKERLINE (1782-1863), a butcher in Kingston upon Hull. On June 22nd, 1813 Mary Ann THOMPSON married John COCKERLINE at Myton. In the Parish Register, Mary Ann was noted as a widow: her maiden name is not known at this time. No additional details about Mary are provided in the marriage registration other than the notation that both were “of the parish”.

John & Mary Ann had 5 children: Christiana (b: 1813), Henry (b: 1815), Amelia (b: 1813), John (b: 1813), & Christiana Easter (b: 1813). Their first two children died in infancy. In the 1841 Census, Mary Ann was enumerated with her husband and their three surviving children (Amelia, John, & Christiana Easter) living at Granby Square on Blanket Row in Kingston upon Hull. She died in Hull on September 16th, 1846 and was buried on the 18th. From the September 18th, 1846 edition of The Hull Packet and East Riding Times:

> Deaths: On Tuesday, the 15th instance, aged 62, Mary Ann, the beloved wife of Mr. John COCKERLINE, butcher. She was much respected by all her relatives and friends.

Mary COCKERLINE née BURRELL (1789-1852)

Mary BURRELL [Household #8] was the wife of Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866), a farmer of Keyingham, ERY. They married at Keyingham on August 18th, 1811. From the Hull Advertiser and Exchange Gazette 24 August 1811.

> On Sunday last, Robert Cockerline, farmer, to Miss Mary Burrell, daughter of Mr. John Burrell, farmer, all of Keyingham in Holderness.

Robert & Mary had 8 children: Ann (b: 1811), Mary (b: 1814), Hannah (b: 1817), Thomas (b: 1819), Emma (b: 1821), John (b: 1824), Elizabeth (b: 1827), & William (b: 1831). In the 1841 and 1851 census, Robert, Mary and their children were enumerated at Keyingham. There, Mary died on December 7th, 1852 and was buried on the 10th.

> Monumental Inscription:
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> In memory of Mary, the wife of Robert COCKERLINE, who died 7th Decr 1852, aged 6(8) years. Also Ann their daughter who died 12th Apr 1842 aged 21 years. Also four children who died in their infancy. Go home my friend and children dear. I am not dead but sleeping here. In my Fathers will who does all things best. He eased my

pain, in dying gave me rest. Also Robert COCKERLINE who died 3rd May 1866 aged 78 years.

Mary COCKERLINE née ELLARBY (1800-1865)

Mary ELLARBY [Household #18] was the wife of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841), a tailor in Roos, ERY. She was baptized January 2nd, 1801, the daughter of Joseph ELLARBY & Ann ELLIS of Roos. Mary married William COCKERLINE at Roos on June 21st, 1823. They had 8 children: Charlotte (b: 1822 – one year before their marriage); William Thomas (b: 1824); Mary Ann (b: 1826); Jemina (b: 1828); Matthew (b: 1830); Maria (b: 1832); Matthew Robert (b: 1835); & Harriet (b: 1838). Enumerated in the 1841 census for Roos, William died shortly thereafter and was buried there on March 7th, 1841. In the 1851 & 1861 census records, Mary and her children were enumerated in Roos, supporting themselves as a tailor's wife and dressmakers. Mary died there and was buried at Roos on March 19th, 1865.

Mary COCKERLINE née JACKSON (1803-1869)

Mary JACKSON [Household #38], the daughter of Marmaduke JACKSON & Frances STAVLEY / STAVELY, was baptized at Skeffling, ERY on May 22nd, 1803. At Easington, ERY on March 31st, 1823 Mary married John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) of Holmpton, ERY. Their first 4 children were baptized in Yorkshire: Ann (b: 1823), Esther (b: 1825), William (b: 1829), & John (b: 1832). The family left England for Canada in 1833 and their next 4 children were born & baptized at LaColle, Canada East: Mary (b: 1835), Elizabeth (b: 1838), Charles (b: 1841) & Thomas (b: 1846). Mary died January 3rd, 1869 and was buried in the Henrysburg Methodist cemetery at Henrysburg, Quebec, CANADA.

Mary COCKERLINE (1806-1880)

Baptized at Patrington on February 19th, 1806, Mary [Household #27] and her twin brother Charles (1806-1821) were the children of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857). She never married and had no children. In the 1841 & 1851 census records, she was enumerated in Drypool living with her widowed mother and 3 of her unmarried siblings. After her mother died in 1857, Mary continued to live in Drypool with her three unmarried siblings (1861 and 1871 census records). She died at Drypool in the 1st quarter of 1880.

Mary COCKERLINE née ROBINSON (*abt* 1819-1845)

Mary ROBINSON [Household #30] was the wife of James COCKERLINE (1820-1851), a hair cutter & musician in Kingston upon Hull. In the 1841 census, she and her husband were enumerated in Kingston upon Hull lodging with the family of William & Elizabeth HUNTER. She died at St Thomas' Hospital, Southwark, London on October 3rd, 1844.

Based on her age as recorded in the marriage banns and her age noted in her burial record, she was born about 1819; however, the 1841 census stated her age as 24 suggesting a birth date about 1816. Other than "Yorkshire" as indicated by the 1841 census, it is not known where she was born and consequently her ancestry is unknown.

Mary COCKERLINE née SHARPE (1822-1873)

Mary SHARPE has not been identified in the 1841 census records. Baptized at Preston by Hedon on December 31st, 1822, she was the daughter of John & Elizabeth SHARP. On March 5th, 1841 at Holy Trinity church in Hull, she married James COCKERLINE (1816-1890) of Preston by Hedon. Her husband was a mariner who was presumed to be at sea at the time of the census, but Mary should have been enumerated in the census.

Mary & John had 6 children: Elizabeth (b: 1841), John (b: 1845), James (b: 1850), Ernest (b: 1855), Mary (b: 1858), & Ada (b: 189). In the 1851, 1861, & 1871 census records, Mary, James and their children were enumerated in Hull. Mary died in Hull in the 3rd quarter of 1873. In the 1881 census, James and their daughter Mary were enumerated in Hull. James died there on October 14th, 1890.

Mary Ann COCKERLINE (1826-1903)

Mary Ann [Household #20] was baptized at Roos, ERY on July 23rd, 1826, the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865). In 1841, she was enumerated in Skeffling as a farm servant working for Christopher JEFFERSON. In the Patrington Parish records, on July 17th, 1844, a Joseph COCKERLINE was baptized. Joseph's mother was noted as "Marianne" COCKERLINE, a spinster at Patrington Union Workhouse. Also, while not found in the parish records, there had been two previous births / deaths of a Joseph COCKERLINE noted in the quarterly birth / marriage / death reports for the Patrington district of Yorkshire: Joseph (1841-1841) and Joseph (1842-1843).

Without evidence and based solely on the given name of these 2 children, it is presumed that Mary Ann was also the mother of Joseph (b: 1841) and Joseph (b: 1842).

On June 30th, 1849, she married William BASSINDALE (1824-1886), son of William BASSINDALE & Ann JEFFERSON. They had 5 children: Robert (b: 1849), Betsy Ann (b: 1852), George (b: 1854), Elizabeth (b: 1857), & Thomas (b: 1858). In 1851, Mary Ann and her husband were enumerated in Patrington with their 2 children, Joseph & Robert. In 1861, 1871 & 1881 the couple and their children were enumerated in Hackthorpe, Westmoreland where William was a tile maker. By 1881, the family had moved to Harrington, Cumberland where William died on July 15th, 1886.

In 1891, Mary Ann was enumerated in Disworth, Leicestershire where she was living with her daughter, Annie CLEMENTSON. In 1901, Mary Ann was living in Shipley, Derbyshire with her daughter, Elizabeth BOAM. Mary Ann died there on December 2nd, 1903 and was buried in Park Cemetery in Ilkeston, Derbyshire.

Mary Susannah COCKERLINE (1831-*unknown*)

Mary Susannah [Household #34] was the 1st of 4 children born to John COCKERLINE (1807-1834) & Frances MAY (1805-1878). Named after both her grandmothers, she was baptized on April 29th, 1831 at Kirton in Lindsey, Lincolnshire. In the census records of 1841 (age 10), 1851 (age 19), & 1861 (age 29) she was living at home with her parents in Hull. On June 24th, 1867 at Holy Trinity Church in Hull, she married William Henry HUTTY (1844-1904). From the June 28th, 1867 edition of the Hull Packet and East Riding Times:

> Marriage: June 24, at Holy Trinity Church, Hull, by the Rev. H.G. KINNEAR, Mr. W.H. HUTTY, son of Mr. John HUTTY, water-rate collector, to Mary Susannah, daughter of the late Mr. John COCKERLINE, all of this town.

It is not known when or where she died; however, her husband remarried at Bishop's Castle, Shropshire on October 21st, 1873.

Mary COCKERLINE (1835-1902)

Mary COCKERLINE [Household #38] was the 5th of 8 children born to John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary Ann JACKSON (1803-1869). Born at Henrysburg, Canada East on March 8th, 1835, she was the first COCKERLINE confirmed to have been born outside ENGLAND. She was baptized at Henrysburg on February 17th, 1839. Up until her marriage to William LESLIE (1824-1893) sometime about 1857, she was living with her parents.

Mary & William had 11 children: Mary (b: 1858); Agnes (b: 1859); Eleanor (b: 1861); Emma (b: 1864); William (b: 1866); Olive (b: 1870); Alice (b: 1871); Alma (b: 1872); Lillian (b: 1875); Jeanette (b: 1877); Mabel (b: 1880). In the 1871 & 1881 census records, the family was enumerated in St Bernard de LaColle, St Jean County, Quebec. Based on the 1900 US Census enumeration of Mary, the family moved to Lowell, Massachusetts, USA in 1889 where Mary's husband William died on January 3rd, 1898. Mary died there on November 25th, 1902. William, Mary and 6 of their children are buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Clinton County, New York, USA.

Matthew COCKERLINE (1802-1878)

Millwright & Grist Mill Operator at Duffin's Creek, York County, Ontario

Matthew COCKERLINE [Household #40] was the youngest child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840). He was baptized at Hollym, ERY on July 11th, 1802. Likely in early June of 1830, Matthew along with brothers Robert & William COCKERLINE arrived in Quebec City, Canada East. On June 11th, 1830, they booked passage from Quebec to Montreal aboard the ship John Molson. Matthew has not yet been found in the 1841, 1851 or 1861 census records, however, land sales in 1838 and 1843 place him in Duffin's Creek, York County, Canada West. He sold the mill in 1843 for £1200 and may or may not have remained in the country. However, in the 1871 census, he was enumerated at St David's Ward in Toronto East. A notation at the side of the page indicated he was one of many "*patients in Gen'l Hospital who have no homes else where*". He died in York County on August 2nd, 1878 and was buried in the Primitive Methodist Cemetery (now known as the Don Mill's United Church Cemetery) in York County.

Matthew never married and had no children. In January of 1840, Matthew had sent a letter to his parents asking that his sister come to Canada, per this letter to John COCKERLINE of Henrysburg, Canada East:

> "We (*William COCKERLINE & Ester BARRETT*) received your letter (*son John in Canada East*) the 20th Jan, and your uncle received one from Matthew the same day your uncle Thomas buried his wife about a week before they got Robert's letter he (*Matthew)* has bought a mill and wants his sister Ann and her little boy (*Matthew Bird COCKERLINE*) or he says he must have wife."

Matthew's sister never did leave for Canada, but his nephew Matthew did emigrate to Canada at some point in the early 1850s. See Matthew Bird COCKERLINE (1832-1901) in the following entry.

Matthew Bird COCKERLINE (1832-1901)

Flour Mill Operator in Bradford, Ontario & Lincoln, Oregon

Matthew COCKERLINE [Household #15] was the child of Ann COCKERLINE (1797-1866). He was born in Patrington, ERY in February 2nd, 1832 and baptized there on the 5th. In the 1841 census (age 9), he was enumerated living with the family of John & Eleanor FRENCH in Patrington. In 1851, he was enumerated as farm servant in Halsham working for the family of John & Lucinda FEWSON. At some point in the early 1850s, he left England for Canada as on September 26th, 1856, he married Matilda ROSS of Etobicoke, York County, Canada West. They had 6 children, all born in York County: Alexander (b: 1757), Matthew (b: 1759), Edgar (b: 1761), Herbert (b: 1763), Lydia (b: 1765), & Josephine (b: 1767).

In 1861 & 1871, Matthew & his family were enumerated in Bradford, Canada West where Matthew was noted as the proprietor of the Tontine Flour Mill. About 1879, Matthew & his family moved to Marion County in Oregon, USA where Matthew ran a Flour Mill. By the time of the 1900 census, he had relocated to Grants Pass, Josephine County, Oregon where he died on March 8th, 1901. He was buried at the Masonic Cemetery in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon.

Matthew Robert COCKERLINE (1835-1915)

Hotelier & Farmer in Kihikihi, New Zealand

Matthew Robert COCKERLINE [Household #18] was baptized at Roos, ERY on March 22nd, 1835, the son of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865). He never married and had no children. In 1841, he was enumerated in Roos with his parents. In 1851 he was enumerated as a farm servant to John FEWSON of Halsham, ERY.

In 1860, he set sail for New Zealand aboard the Avalanche, arriving in Auckland on May 7th, 1860. Census records for New Zealand are not available as they are for many other countries; hence enumeration data is not available. From the 1902 edition of the Cylopedia of New Zealand, we have the following:

> Mr. Cockerline is a native of Yorkshire, ENGLAND, was born in 1835 and was brought up as a farmer. He came to New Zealand in 1860, landing in Auckland, and shortly afterwards leased 1500 acres at the Bay of Islands. In 1862 he was attracted to the Coromandel goldfields, but after a short stay there joined the 2nd Waikato Regiment, and for his services in the war received a grant of land at Paterangi. At the conclusion of hostilities Mr. Cockerline kept the Alpha hotel at Kihikihi for some years, but took up his permanent residence on the farm in 1865. Mr. Cockerline has occupied his present property for thirty-five years. The farm consists of 232 acres all in grass and is

devoted chiefly to dairying purposes, about 45 cows being milked and supplies disposed of at the local creamery.

Matthew died May 8th, 1915 and was buried at Waikumete Cemetery, Glen Eden, Auckland, New Zealand.

Mercy COCKERLINE née HOBSON (1812-1868)

Mercy HOBSON [Household #10] married Robert COCKERLINE (1803-1857) at Holy Trinity church in Hull on February 27th, 1836. Baptized in Ottringham on March 1st, 1812, she was the daughter of Robert HOBSON, a farmer in that community. In the 1841 & 1851 census records, Mercy and her husband Robert, a gardener, were enumerated in Ottringham. Robert died at Ottringham on February 17th, 1857. They had no children.

The year after Robert COCKERLINE's death, on January 25th, 1858 the widow Mercy COCKERLINE married John GILL. In 1861, Mercy and her new husband were enumerated in Keyingham where John GILL was a gardener. Mercy died there and on October 5th, 1868 was buried in Ottringham.

Miles COCKERLINE (1832-1897)

Blacksmith in East Riding Yorkshire

Miles COCKERLINE [Household #6] was baptized in Holmpton on August 5th, 1832, the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). He never married and no children are known. In the 1841 census, he was enumerated at home with his parents in Holmpton. In the 1851 census, he was enumerated as an apprentice blacksmith in the employ of Richard BILTON of Holmpton. In 1861 he was noted as a 'smith' visiting the family of William DALLEY, a tailor in Bridlington, ERY – suggesting the possibility that he was a travelling blacksmith. Miles has not been found in the 1871 census, but in 1881 Miles, unemployed, was living with his widowed mother in Holmpton. In 1891 he was working as a general labourer in Wallingfen, near Howden, ERY. His death was registered in the Howden district in the 1st quarter of 1897.

Nancy (Ann) COCKERLINE née WILKINSON (1822-1913)

Nancy / Ann WILKINSON [Household #18] was the daughter of Samuel & Hannah WILKINSON of Roos, ERY, baptized at Roos on March 3rd, 1822. There on February 22nd, 1841, she married Thomas COCKERLINE (1818-1899). The couple had 4 children: William (b: 1847), Jane (b: 1849), Thomas (b: 1861), & Henry (b: 1864).

In the 1841 census, Nancy and her husband were enumerated living with her parents; however, she may also have been enumerated in Burton Pidsea [Household #1] where she was a servant working for William CHAPMAN. ln various records, her name was recorded as both Ann and Nancy. In her baptismal and marriage records and in the 1851, 1871 and 1881 census records, her name was recorded as Ann. In the 1861, 1891, 1901 & 1911 census records, she was enumerated as Nancy.

Her husband died at Roos on August 29th, 1899. Ann continued to live in Roos where she died on August 14th, 1913. Both were buried in Roos.

> Roos Monumental Inscription
> In affectionate remembrance of Thomas COCKERLINE who died August 25 1899, aged 81 years. Thy will be done.
> Also Nancy COCKERLINE, relict of the above who died August 14th 1913, aged 91 years.

Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866)

Agricultural Labourer in Keyingham, East Riding Yorkshire

Robert COCKERLINE [Household #8] was the 4th child of William COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Elizabeth MOOT / MOATE (1761-1840) of Skeffling. He was baptized there on October 22nd, 1786. On August 18th, 1811, at Keyingham, he married Mary BURRELL (1789-1852), daughter of John BURRELL of Keyingham. From the August 24th 1811 edition of the Hull Advertiser, this item:

> On Sunday last, Robert Cockerline, farmer, to Miss Mary Burrell, daughter of Mr John Burrell, farmer, all of Keyingham in Holderness.

Robert & Mary had 8 children, all born at Keyingham: Ann (b: 1811); Mary (b: 1814); Hannah (b: 1817); Thomas (b: 1819); Emma (b: 1821); John (b: 1824); Elizabeth (b: 1827); & William (b: 1831).

In numerous of the baptisms of his children, Robert was identified as an agricultural labourer. In the 1841 census, Robert, his wife Mary and their youngest daughter Elizabeth were enumerated in Keyingham. In 1851, Robert & Mary were enumerated in Keyingham village. Mary died on Dec 7th, 1852 and was buried at Keyingham on the 10th. From the monumental inscription in Keyingham church yard:

> In memory of Mary, the wife of Robert COCKERLINE, who died 7th Decr 1852, aged 6(3) years. Also Ann their daughter who died 12th Apr 1842 aged 21 years. Also four children who died in their infancy. Go home my friend and children dear. I am not dead but sleeping here. In my Fathers will who does all things best. He eased my

pain, in dying gave me rest. Also Robert COCKERLINE who died 3rd May 1866 aged 78 years.

In 1861, Robert, a widower, was an agricultural labourer working for Hannah SMITH of Hedon, ERY. He died in Patrington on May 3rd, 1866 and buried in Keyingham on the 6th. Though not stated, the following was likely a contributing factor in Robert's death. From the April 6th, 1866 edition of the Hull Packet:

> DISTRICT INTELLIGENCE: Petty Sessions, Saturday, March 31th - before John J HILYARD, Esq., and the Rev James R WHYTE - Thomas HARRISON was charged with assaulting Robert COCKERLINE. Both the parties are inmates of the Patrington Union, and on the 3rd of March last, (the) defendant came to the fireside, and first pushed away and then knocked unto the floor the complainant, who is 78 years of age. - To be imprisoned one month, and afterwards sent to a reformatory school for 5 years.

Robert COCKERLINE (1793-1877)

Farmer in East Gwilliambury, Ontario

Robert COCKERLINE [Household #41], the 4th child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840) of Weeton, ERY, was born on December 8th, 1793 and baptized there the following day. Likely in early June of 1830, Robert along with brother Matthew & possibly brother William COCKERLINE (*original is very smudged and name is hard to read*) arrived in Montréal, Canada East. On June 11th, 1830, they took passage from Quebec City to Montreal aboard the ship John Molson. Robert has not yet been found in the 1841 Canadian census, but about 1848 Robert married Elizabeth QUIBELL née BELAMY (1809-1887) of East Gwilliambury, York County, Canada West. They had one child, Maria (b: 1849).

In the 1851, 1861 & 1871 census records, Robert, a farmer, was enumerated on lot 7F along Concession #8 in East Gwilliambury with his wife, daughter, and the children from his wife's previous marriage. Robert died there on June 15th, 1877 and was buried in the Pioneer Methodist Cemetery in Mt Albert, York County. Robert's wife, Elizabeth, has not been found in the 1881 census but she died at Bradford, Simcoe County, Ontario on May 23rd, 1887. It is not known where she was buried.

Robert COCKERLINE (*dates unknown*)

Not only has this particular Robert COCKERLINE has not been found in the census records, it is not certain that he was still alive in 1841. Robert's June 9th, 1823 marriage to Mary Ann ENGLAND sheds no light on Robert's identify.

> Robert COCKERLINE of the Parish of Hollym, Bachelor and Mary Ann ENGLAND of this parish were married in this church by Banns with the consent of Parents the ninth day of June in the year one Thousand eight Hundred and twenty-three, by me, John BOWMAN
>
> This marriage was solemnized between us - Robert COCKERLINE, Mary Ann ENGLAND Her X Mark
>
> in the presence of William ENGLAND, Elizabeth KELWICK

That Robert was identified as a 'bachelor' in the marriage record suggests strongly that this was his first marriage. Married in 1823, he would have been born about or before 1800. His wife, Mary Ann, died in 1824, so it is quite possible that he may have been enumerated in 1841, but with a second wife. However, there is no basis upon which to identify which Robert this might have been.

The working theory is that this was the first marriages of a Robert COCKERLINE already documented in this document. As to Mary Ann ENGLAND, ten months after Robert & Mary Ann's marriage, there was the April 3rd 1824 burial of a Mary Ann COCKERLINE (age 22, wife of an unnamed COCKERLINE) in the parish of Humbleton, ERY. Of note, there was a Mary Ann ENGLAND who was baptized at Humbleton on August 23rd, 1801, the daughter of William & Eleanor ENGLAND. Lending support for the idea that this was the same Mary Ann ENGLAND is that one of the witnesses to the 1823 marriage was William ENGLAND.

While it is no certainty as to how or where this particular Robert fits into the overall COCKERLINE family tree, this could possibly be either: the Robert identified above (Robert COCKERLINE (1793-1877) or the Robert identified below (Robert COCKERLINE (1803-1857).

Robert COCKERLINE (1803-1857)

Gardener in Ottringham, East Riding Yorkshire

The identity of this Robert COCKERLINE [Household #10] is uncertain. Robert married Mercy HOBSON (1812-1868) at Holy Trinity church in Kingston upon Hull on 27 Feb 1836. In the 1841 & 1851 census records (ages 37 & 47 respectively), Robert and his wife Mercy were enumerated in Ottringham.

Robert died at Ottringham on February 17th, 1857. The next year, on January 25th, the widow Mercy COCKERLINE married John GILL. In 1861, Mercy and her new husband were enumerated in Keyingham where John GILL was a gardener. Mercy died there and on Oct 5th, 1868 and was buried in Ottringham.

So who was Robert? The 1851 census indicates Robert was noted as having been born in Patrington about 1803/04 but there seems to be no corresponding baptism in local parish records. Only two records have been found for a Robert baptized within a 10-year period on either side of Robert's 1803/04 birth date: 1) Robert baptized at Patrington in 1809 and 2) Robert baptized at Sutton in 1804.

The Robert baptized at Hedon in 1809 is ruled out as his lineage is quite certain. Like his father Robert COCKERLINE (1871-1834) of Hedon, Robert Jr was a brewer. In 1832, he married Sarah ROBINSON at Hedon where he and his family were enumerated in the 1841 and 1861 census records.

The Robert baptized at Sutton in 1804, emerges as a more likely candidate. His baptism in Sutton appears to be an anomaly in that there were no COCKERLINE families in the area at that time. This, however, creates a possible scenario. On May 15th, 1796, a Robert COCKERLINE, farmer of Welwick, married a Mary CHAPMAN. From the Welwick parish records:

> 1793, May 15 Robert COCKERLINE widow(er) & Mary CHAPMAN (signs Chaplin), spinster, married by banns by Robert BARKER, Vicar. Witnesses: John FENBY, William COCKERLINE

Mary died and was buried February 6th, 1803. From the Welwick parish records:

> 1803, Feb 6 - Mary, wife of Robert COCKERLINE, farmer.

One possible scenario is that Mary's death was somehow linked to Robert's birth and that her death left her husband with a newborn child needing a wet nurse. Could this account for his infant son being in the care of another family, hence baptized in Sutton? From the Sutton in Holderness Parish Record of Baptisms:

> 1804 Mar 31 - Robert, son of Robert COCKERLINE.

As there were no known COCKERLINEs living in Sutton during this decade, there is a strong suggesting that the father Robert did not normally reside in this community.

Though the confidence level of this scenario is low, no other scenario seems to arise from the records. Accordingly, it is conjectured that Robert COCKERLINE (1803-1857) was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) and Mary CHAPMAN (unknown-1803) of Welwick.

Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864)

Innkeeper, brewer, and publican in Hedon, East Riding Yorkshire

Robert COCKERLINE [Household #28] was an innkeeper, brewer, and publican who lived in Hedon, Yorkshire. Baptized at Patrington on August 13th, 1809, Robert was the 4th of 12 children born to Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833) & his wife, Mary PRESTON (1786-1872). No record of Robert has been noted between the date of his baptism and the date of his marriage to Sarah ROBINSON at Hedon, ERY on July 12th, 1832. From the July 17th, 1832 edition of the Hull Packet:

> Married: On Thursday last, at Hedon, By the Rev. P. Jones, Mr. Robert COCKERLINE, Jun brewer, to Miss Sarah ROBINSON, both of that place.

Over the course of the next 8 years, Robert & Sarah had four children, all baptized at Hedon. In the 1841 census, the family was enumerated living at St Augustine Gate in Hedon. Robert, an innkeeper, was enumerated along with his wife Sarah and their four children: Ester (b: 1833); George (b: 1835); William (b: 1836); and John (b: 1840). Robert and his family have not yet been found in the 1851 census, but in 1861, he and his wife were enumerated at 6 Albany Square in Kingston upon Hull. Robert died on April 25th, 1864 and was buried at Holy Trinity Church in Hull.

Robert had been an active community member, as indicated by the following items in different editions of the Hull Packet:

> Jun 15th, 1838
> Independent Order of Odd Fellows – It is with pleasure we view the rapid progress this society is making in this town. During the last month, no less than three new lodges have been opened, viz: the Loyal Kingston lodge held at Providence Inn, host PG Greasley; the Loyal Andrew Marvel lodge held at Whittington and his Cat, host Wood; and the Good Samaritan lodge, Hedon, host Cockerline.
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> August 10th, 1838
> Hedon - On Friday the 3rd inst, the members of the Good Samaritan Lodge of Odd Fellows of the Manchester Unity, held at the house of host Cockerline, Hedon, attended divine service at the parish church, when an appropriate sermon was preached by the Rev Dr. Wass, the vicar.
>
> February 15th, 1839
> On Wednesday last, a court of the ancient order of shepherdess was opened at the house of Mr. Robert Cockerline, Queen's Head, when many members were admitted.

Robert COCKERLINE (1821-1898)

Boot & Shoe Maker in Bradford, West Riding Yorkshire

Robert COCKERLINE [Household #36] was baptized in Holmpton on March 11th, 1821, the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). In the 1841 census, he was enumerated living with a George KELLETBY, a shoemaker in Swithins, Lincolnshire where Robert was serving an apprenticeship. On December 4th, 1845 at Holy Trinity church in Kingston upon Hull, he married Elizabeth LAWTON (1822-1890) of Easington, ERY. Over the next two years, they had two children, both born in Easington: Monica (b: 1846) & Elizabeth (b: 1849). However, in the 1851 census Robert was enumerated in Bradford while Elizabeth and the two children were enumerated living with Elizabeth's uncle, William SOTERO, in Kingston upon Hull.

In the 1861 and 1871 census records, Robert, a shoe & boot maker, was living on Lister Street in Bradford with his wife and 7 children. By 1891, the family had moved to Mannington, a suburb of Bradford where the family was enumerated in the 1891 census. Elizabeth died there in the 3rd quarter of 1891 and Robert died there in the 4th quarter of 1898.

Robert COCKERLINE (1833-unknown)

Farmer in Huron County, Ontario

This Robert COCKERLINE has not been found in the 1841 census. Baptized at Keyingham, ERY on February 21st, 1833, Robert was the youngest of the 7 children of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hannah WILSON (1800-1888). Robert was not enumerated living with his parents in the 1841 census but in 1851, he (age 15) was enumerated as a servant in the household of Henry LUMBERT of Keyingham, ERY. At some point after the 1851 census, Robert – along with his mother and siblings – left England for Canada. About 1854, he married Hannah GORBUTT in Huron County, Canada West, where their daughter Mary Jane was born on March 11th, 1856. Based on a tombstone in the Londesboro Cemetery in Huron County, Robert's wife died 9 months later, on Dec 21st, 1856.

In the 1861 census records, Robert, a widower, and his daughter Mary Jane were enumerated in Hullett Township, Huron County. In 1866, Robert married Elizabeth PEACOCK of Hullett. They had 11 children: John (b: 1867); George (b: 1869); Anthony (b: 1872); William (b: 1874); Myrtle (b: 1875); Thomas (b: 1876); Jane (b: 1878); Elizabeth (b: 1880); Robert (b: 1883); Anna (b: 1886); & Sadie (b: 1888).

At some point after the 1861 census, Robert gave up farming and started working for the railway. The couple has not been found in the 1871 census, but two children – George (b: 1869); Anthony (b: 1872) – were born in Huron County. In 1881, Robert and his family were enumerated in Kincardine, Bruce County, Ontario. By 1891, the family had moved to North Bay, Ontario where several COCKERLINEs were in the employ of the railway. However, no further record of Robert has been found and it appears Robert had died at some point between 1888 (the birth of his last child) and the 1891 census enumeration. In that census, Robert's widowed wife was enumerated in North Bay with 9 of her children. It is not known when Robert died or where he is buried.

After Robert's death, Elizabeth married twice more. In North Bay, Ontario, on May 5th, 1891, Elizabeth married Robert's brother, John (1822-1899). John died in 1899 and on July 19th, 1900, Elizabeth married Richard SMITH (1846-1935) at Sault Ste Marie, Ontario. Elizabeth & Richard then relocated to Rudyard Township in Michigan, USA where she died on Jan 13th, 1913.

Robert Edward COCKERLINE (1836-1900)

Timber Merchant & Broker in Sculcoates, East Riding Yorkshire

Robert COCKERLINE [Household #34] was the 3rd of 4 children born to John COCKERLINE (1807-1834) & Frances MAY (1805-1878). He was baptized at Sculcoates on July 24th 1836. In the 1841 (age 5) and 1851 (age 14) census records for Hull, Robert was living with his parents in Sculcoates. On December 15th, 1860, Robert married Elizabeth HODGSON at Holy Trinity Church in Hull. They had three children: Frances Mary (B: 1860), Mary (B: 1864), and Mary (B: 1866).

In the 1861 and 1871 census records, Robert, a timber merchant, & his wife were living at 28, Blundell Street in Sculcoates. In the 1891 census records, Robert, now a timber broker, and his wife were living at 79, Brunswich Avenue in West Sculcoates. Robert died on March 23rd, 1900. Details were described in the March 26th, 1900 edition of the Hull Packet:

> DEATHS. Cockerline. March 23rd, Robert Edward Cockerline, aged 62 years, the dearly beloved husband of Elizabeth Cockerline, of 79 Brunswick avenue. Friends please accept this, the only intimation.

And from the March 23rd, 1900 edition of the Hull Packet:

> DEATH HULL OFFICE. HULL CLERK'S SAD END.
>
> A most distressing death occurred in Hull today, the deceased being a clerk, Robert

Edward Cockerline, aged about 60, who for several years had been in the employ of Messrs. J. Shaw and Son, timber merchants, Great Union-street. About nine o'clock, Mr. George Shaw, junior, entering the office, was shocked to discover Cockerline lying on his back dying. Dr. Lilley was fetched.

A gill glass with about two ounces of carbolic acid was lying on the chimneypiece. In the cupboard was found a pint bottle nearly full of carbolic acid.

Samuel COCKERLINE (1815-1879)

Farm Labourer in Drypool, East Riding Yorkshire

Samuel [Household #27] was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857), baptized at Patrington on December 3rd, 1815. In the 1841 & 1851 census records, he was enumerated in Drypool living with his widowed mother and three of his unmarried siblings. After his mother died in 1857, Samuel continued to live with his siblings in Drypool (1861 and 1871 census records). He died at Drypool and was buried there at St Andrew's Church on June 11th, 1879. Samuel never married and had no children.

Sarah COCKERLINE née ROBINSON (*abt* 1804-1887)

Sarah ROBINSON [Household #28] was the wife of Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864), a brewer in Hedon, ERY. Sarah ROBINSON's ancestry is unknown as neither the church records nor the newspaper announcements about their marriage made reference to any of Sarah's family. Based on the 1841, 1851, & 1861 census records and on the marriage registration, Sarah was born at Hedon, ERY. Her birthdate; however, is uncertain as her age in the census records varied. In the 1841 & 1851 census, she was the same age as her husband, suggesting a birth date about 1809. However, after her husband's death, references to her age suggest an earlier birth date. Her age in the census records of 1871 (age 64) and 1881 (age 75) and her age as reported on her death certificate in 1887 (age 83) indicate a birth date about 1804/1805.

Married on July 12th, 1832, Robert and Sarah had 4 children: Ester (b: 1833); George (b: 1835); William (b: 1836); and John (b: 1840). Robert and all 4 of their children had died before the 1871 census. Consequently in the 1871 census, Sarah, a washerwoman, was enumerated living alone at Hinson Court on Blanket Row in Hull. In 1881, Sarah, a charwoman, was enumerated at 12, Sewer Lane, Hull. She died in the 4th quarter of 1887.

Sarah Ann MASON (1834-1914) a.k.a. Sarah

COCKERLINE-AKE

Sarah Ann MASON [table 28] was baptized at Welwick on October 28th, 1828, the illegitimate daughter of Elizabeth MASON (1794-1868). In the 1841 census Sarah AKE (age 12) was enumerated living with her parents in Weeton. In the 1851 census, she was identified by her baptized name, Sarah MASON, in Ottringham where she was working as a servant in the household of Robert GARTON. On Oct 16th, 1852 at Owthorne, Sarah MASON married Robert ANDREWS of Patrington. She died in Sculcoates in the 2nd quarter of 1914.

While she was never documented as a COCKERLINE *per se*, she has been included in this study as she as the daughter / stepdaughter of John COCKERLINE-AKE.

Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854)

Agricultural Labourer in East Riding Yorkshire

Thomas [Household #5] was baptized at Hollym, ERY on February 7th, 1759, the son of Thomas COCKERLINE (1725-1784) & Ann RICHARDSON (1725-1806). On April 6th, 1789, he married Ann WILSON of Hessle, ERY. They had 10 children: Mary (b: 1790); Elizabeth (b: 1791); Thomas (b: 1792); Robert (b: 1793); William (b: 1795); Hannah (b: 1796); Ann (b: 1797); Harriet (b: 1789); Maria (b: 1800); & Matthew (b: 1802). Thomas' wife died in Holmpton on January 9th, 1840 and was buried there on January 11th.

In the 1841 census, a widowed Thomas and his daughter Maria were both enumerated as farm servants / labourers working for Robert FOARTER in Holmpton. In the 1851 census, Thomas, age 91, and his daughter Maria were enumerated in Hollym. Thomas died on October 12th, 1854 and was buried with his wife Ann in the St Nicholas' churchyard in Holmpton. Their tombstone reads:

> Thomas Cockerline, who died 12th October 1854, age 94 years.
> also Ann his wife, who died 9th January 1840, age 78 years.

Thomas COCKERLINE (1792-1854)

Shoemaker in Sheffield, West Riding Yorkshire

Thomas COCKERLINE [Household #35] was the 3rd child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840), baptized at Welwick on July 22nd, 1792. In the 1841 census, Thomas, a shoemaker, age 49, was

enumerated as a boarder living with a Mary HEATON in Sheffield, WRY. On February 24th, 1851, Thomas, a widower & Mary HEATON (nee BURGOYNE) married at St Mary's church in Sheffield. In the 1851 census, the couple and several lodgers were enumerated at School Croft Street in Sheffield. Thomas died in Sheffield during the 2nd quarter of 1854; Mary died there in the 4th quarter of 1855. There were no children of this marriage.

Based on Thomas' 1851 marriage registration to Mary HEATON, he was a widower. However, at the present time, no record of a previous marriage has been found nor any indication of any children by that prior marriage.

Thomas COCKERLINE (1794-1869)

Tailor in Easington, East Riding Yorkshire & Thornhill, Ontario

Thomas [Household #39], the 4th child of William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) & Esther BARRETT (1761-1845), was baptized at Holmpton on September 17th, 1794. Thomas was listed in Blaine's 1823 Director as a tailor in Easington, ERY. In 1832, he and his brother's family boarded the barque Fair Isle at Liverpool on their way to Canada via New York City. His route and timeline of his journey to his final destination is unknown but Thomas did settle in Thornhill, York County, Canada West (Ontario).

On November 17th, 1839, he married the widow Martha FOSTER at Thornhill. The couple; however, has not been identified in the 1841 census. Thomas and Martha had three children, two of whom died young. On September 11th, 1842, twins Martha and William Barrett were baptized at Thornhill but son William died on October 11th, 1842 at the age of 2 months. Daughter Martha's death has not been documented in any records but she was not included in the census records when the family was enumerated in 1851 and 1861. Family lore has it that one of Thomas and Martha's children died at age 14 months, so it may be that this was their daughter Martha. Their third child, Emily Esther was born on July 30th, 1843 and baptized at Thornhill on September 22nd, 1844.

In 1851, Thomas (a tailor, age 56), Martha (age 51) and Esther (age 8) were enumerated in Thornhill, York County, Canada West. In 1861, Thomas (age 64), Martha (age 60) and Esther (age 17) were again enumerated there. In the 1865 and 1869 city directories, Thomas was listed as a tailor in Thornhill. On March 4, 1866, Thomas wrote to his brother John in Quebec indicating that 12 months prior he had bought a sewing machine for $45 and that his daughter could work it well enough that it saved him having to hire help.

Thomas died November 6th, 1869. In the census records of 1871, his widowed wife (age 71 & 81 respectively) was enumerated living with their daughter's family in Pickering, Ontario. Martha has not been found in the 1891 census or no record of her death has been found. It is assumed that she died at some time between the 1881 and 1891 census dates.

Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871)

Inn Keeper & Victualler at Welwick, East Riding Yorkshire

Thomas COCKERLINE [Household #24], the third child son of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) & Catherine AKE (1766-1817) of Welwick, was baptized at Welwick on November 8th, 1801. On February 15th, 1825, Thomas married Hannah SIMPSON at Aldbrough near Hull, ERY. Thomas and Hannah had 6 children: George (b: 1826); Ann (b: 1829); Catherine (b: 1831); Thomas (b: 1836); John (b: 1839); & Anthony (b: 1841).

In the 1841 census Thomas, an innkeeper, was enumerated in Welwick with his wife, their six children and his brother Martin. In the 1851 census Thomas, a victualler, was enumerated in Welwick with his wife, three children (Catherine, Thomas Jr., and Anthony) and his brother Martin.

Thomas' wife, Hannah died at Welwick on September 19th, 1860 and buried there on the 21st. In 1861, Thomas was enumerated at Ganstead, ERY where he was visiting with his daughter, Ann SERGEANT. On August 23rd, 1866, he married the schoolmistress Ann Lancaster SWINFEN of Patrington, ERY and in 1871 he, a retired publican, and Ann were enumerated at Haverfield House in Welwick. On July 3rd, 1871 he died there. From the July 14th, 1871 edition of the Hull Packet, this item:

> *July 3rd, at Welwick, aged 70 years, Mr. Thomas Cockerline, many years landlord of the Wheat Sheaf Inn.*

At some point, his widow Ann moved to back Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire, ENGLAND where she was born. She died there and was buried in the St John the Baptist churchyard at Whitwick, Leicestershire on August 25th, 1878.

Thomas COCKERLINE (1818-1899)

Gardener in Roos, East Riding Yorkshire

Thomas COCKERLINE [Household #19] was the 5th of 9 children born to William COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Tomlinson SIMPSON (1784-1872) of Preston, ERY. He was baptized at Preston by Hedon on July 17th, 1818. On February 22nd, 1841, Thomas married Ann WILKINSON, the daughter of Samuel & Hannah

WILKINSON of Roos, ERY. The couple had 4 children, all born at Roos: William (b: 1847), Jane (b: 1849), Thomas (b: 1861), & Henry (b: 1864).

In the 1841 census, the newly married couple was enumerated in Roos living with his wife's family. In the 1851, 1861 and 1881 census records, Thomas, Ann (aka "Nancy"), and their children were living in Roos. By 1891, the couple was living at Poor House Row in Patrington. Thomas died at Roos on August 29th, 1899. An item in the Hull Daily Mail dated August 30th, 1899:

> DEATH OF THE ROOS SEXTON. Thomas Cockerline, who for 55 years had been the sexton at Roos, was the recipient of a presentation. The old man was in bed when the gift was offered, and it was then feared that he could not recover. These fears have since been realized, for last evening Mr. Cockerline passed away. He was respected throughout the district, as evidenced by the handsome amount subscribed on the occasion of the presentation being made to him.

And in the church, a plaque reads:

> This is to record the long and valued services of Thomas COCKERLINE who was for 55 years a member of the church choir, a man whose character won the esteem of all. He died August 29th 1899, aged 81.

Thomas' wife survived him by 14 years. In 1901 and 1911, she was enumerated in Roos. She died there on August 14th, 1913 and was buried with her husband in the Roos churchyard. Their tombstone reads:

> In affectionate remembrance of Thomas COCKERLINE who died August 29, 1899, aged 81 years. Thy will be done. Also Nancy COCKERLINE, relict of the above, who died August 14th 1913, aged 91 years.

Thomas COCKERLINE (1825-1850)

General labourer in Holmpton, East Riding Yorkshire

Thomas "Rufus" COCKERLINE [Household #3] was baptized in Holmpton on June 12th, 1825, the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). Thomas was not living at home at the time of the 1841 census; it is not known where he was at the time. He died on May 25th, 1850 and on the 27th was buried in the St Nicholas churchyard in Holmpton in the same plot where his parents would later be buried. The details of his death were described in an item in the May 31st edition of the Hull Advertiser, page 6:

> Shocking and fatal accident: On Saturday last two servant men, named Atkinson and Cockerline, in the employ of Mr. John Dennison farmer, of Holmpton, reached here with two wagons to fetch lime: when the latter got so intoxicated that he was unable to take charge of his team home and Atkinson engaged another man to drive. As they were proceeding towards Holmpton, and going down what is termed Shepherd Hill, Atkinson who had hold of the shaft horses head, saw Cockerline staggering up to his

> wagon, and calling on him to let the horses go; but Atkinson continued to hold the horses, Cockerline snatched hold of the wagon pole and fell, both rear wheels passing over him in an instant, from head to foot, mangling his body in a most frightful manner. He was removed to the Lock-up-house and the same evening an inquest was held on his body before A. Iveson, Esq., coroner and a verdict of accidental death recorded.

One physical trait of Thomas may be deduced as indicated by his nickname, Rufus. In family letters to Canada he was referred to as Rufus Tom or Tom Rufus. "Rufus" was a nickname given to King William II, the son of William the Conquer, because of his red hair. The nickname came into common usage in England after the Protestant Reformation.

Thomas COCKERLINE (1836-1926)

Farm Bailiff in Owthorne & Halsham, East Riding Yorkshire

Thomas COCKERLINE [Household #24], baptized at Welwick, ERY on October 9th, 1836, was the 4th child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-1860). In the 1841 (age 4) & 1851 (age 12), Thomas was living at home with his parents in Welwick. In 1861, Thomas was enumerated in Little Cowden, ERY where he was a seedsman working for Edward SMITH. On December 23rd, 1865 at Holy Trinity Church in Hull, he married Rhonda ELLIS of Keyingham. They had 2 children: Charlotte (b: 1871) & Edith (b: 1885).

In 1871, Thomas and his family were living in Owthorne, ERY. In 1881 & 1891, Thomas, a farm bailiff, and his family were enumerated in Halsham. In 1901 & 1911, Thomas, and his wife were enumerated in Withernsea. Thomas died there about March of 1926; Rhoda on January 18th, 1932. From the January 22nd, 1932 edition of the Hull Daily Mail:

> The funeral took place at Withernsea yesterday of Rhoda Cockerline, of 31, South Cliff-road, who died the age of 86. She was one of Withernsea's oldest residents.

Tomlinson COCKERLINE née SIMPSON (1787-1866)

Tomlinson SIMPSON [Household #33] married William COCKERLINE on December 5th, 1809 at Leven, ERY. The 1851 & 1861 census records indicate Tomlinson was born at Withernwick, ERY about 1786. The baptismal records do indicate the baptism of a Tomasin SIMPSON, daughter of Elizabeth SIMPSON, on December 14th, 1787 at Aldbrough, ERY – a place about 3 miles ESE of Withernwick.

In the 1841 & 1851 census records, the couple was enumerated in Preston by Hedon. In 1861, Tomlinson, now a widow, was still in Hedon. She died there about March 1st, 1866.

William COCKERLINE (1761-1845)

Farmer in Holmpton, East Riding Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #4] was baptized at Holmpton on October 4th, 1761. He was the son of Thomas COCKERLINE (1725-1784) & Ann RICHARDSON (unknown-1806). On May 21st, 1787 he married Esther BARRETT (1761-1845) of Owthorne, the daughter of John BARRETT (1710-1761) & Esther DALTON (1723-1783). William & Esther had 6 children: Thomas (b: 1788), Elizabeth (b: 1789), William (b: 1792), Thomas (b: 1794), John (b: 1797) & Esther (b: 1801). In the 1841 census, William & Esther were enumerated at Holmpton. At age 84 Esther died and was buried in Holmpton on October 9th, 1845. Fifteen days later, on October 24th, William (age 84) was also buried there.

William COCKERLINE (1786-1853)

Agricultural Labourer in Hedon, East Riding Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #33], an agricultural labourer per his children's baptisms and census records, was baptized at Preston by Hedon on April 30th, 1786. He was the son of Thomas COCKERLINE (1747-1817) and Hannah HODGSON. On Dec 5th, 1809 at Leven, ERY he married Tomlinson SIMPSON. They had 9 children: Nancy (b: 1810); James (b: 1812); Hannah (b: 1814); James (b: 1816); Thomas (b: 1818); William (b: 1820); Ann (b: 1821); Harriet (b: 1823); Betsy (b: 1825). Based on the baptism records for his children and on census records, William live in and worked around the Hedon area.

In the 1841 & 1851 census records, William and his wife Tomlinson were enumerated living by themselves in Preston. At the age of 67, William died and was buried in Preston on October 30th, 1853. In 1861, Tomlinson, now a widow, was enumerated living be herself in Preston. At age 80, she died in Preston and was buried there on March 3rd, 1866.

William COCKERLINE (1792-1841)

Blacksmith & Carrier in Ottringham, East Riding Yorkshire

William [Household #9], a blacksmith per his children's baptisms, was baptized at Easington on February 12th, 1792, the son of Edmund Bride COCKERLINE's widowed wife, Isabella HULL (1756-1796). On May 23rd, 1815 at Sutton in Holderness, William married Hephzibah THOMPSON (1794-1816) of Sutton.

Their one child, Hephzibah was baptized on February 27th, 1816, one week before William's wife Hephzibah died on March 2nd, 1816. Their daughter was buried there 4 days later, on March 6th.

On August 21st, 1820, William married Hannah WILSON (1800-1888) of Kilnsea, ERY. They had 7 children: William (b: 1820); John (b: 1822); Hepsibah (b: 1824); Anthony (b: 1826); Robert (b: 1828); George (b: 1830); Robert (b: 1833). In the 1841 census, William, a carrier, was enumerated in Ottringham with his wife Hannah and one child, George. William died there on August 18th, 1841 and was buried in the Ottringham cemetery. Based on his tombstone inscription, he apparently been quite ill:

> Sacred / to the memory of / WILLIAM COCKERLINE who died / August 18th 1841 aged 50 years / Afflictions sore long time I bore / Physicians were in vain / Till God did please to give me ease / And take away my pain.

Hannah carried on the cartage business as in the 1851 census for Ottringham, she was enumerated as a 'common carrier'. At some point in the mid-1850s, Hannah went to Canada West where in 1861, she was enumerated with her son John in Hullett Township, Huron County, Canada West. In 1871, she was again enumerated there, but living with an Annie BELL (*no known relationship*). Then in 1881, she was again enumerated with her son John who was now in Morris, Huron County. She died at her son George's home in Hullett on October 25th, 1888. From the Clinton New Era newspaper, dated November 2nd, 1888:

> Hullett: Mrs. Cockerline, who died last week, was one of the old settlers, and a person very highly esteemed. (page 1)
>
> Cockerline, In Hullett, on the 25th Oct, at the residence of her son George, Hannah Cockerline, age 88 years and 7 months. (page 4)

William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1875)

Shoemaker in Holmpton, East Riding Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #6] was baptized at Holmpton on August 14th, 1792, the son of William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) & Esther BARRETT (1761-1845). On April 8th, 1816 at Paull, ERY he married Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889) of Ottringham. They had nine children: John (1816); William (1816); Robert (1816); Eliza (1816); Thomas (1816); Henry (1816); Frederick (1816); Miles (1816); & Catherine (1816). Based on the baptism records of his children – all baptized at Holmpton – and the census records, William was a cordwainer / shoemaker living in Holmpton.

In the 1841 census records, William was enumerated in Holmpton with his wife and the 4 youngest of his children: Henry (age 13); Frederick (age 11); Miles

(age 8); & Catherine (age 5). In the 1851 census, the youngest 3 of the children were living with William & Ann. In the 1861 and 1871 census, only Catherine, the youngest of the children was living at home. William died on August 13th, 1874 and Ann, his wife, died on March 13th, 1889. From the tombstone inscription:

> Sacred to the memory / of / William COCKERLINE / who died August 13th 1874/ aged 84 years / Also Ann his wife / who died March 13th 1889 / aged 96 years.

William COCKERLINE (1795-1841)

Tailor in Roos, East Riding Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #18], baptized at Hollym on November 1st, 1795, was the 5th child of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840). At Roos, ERY on June 21st, 1823, William married Mary ELLARBY. They had 8 children: Charlotte (b: 1822), William (b: 1824), Mary Ann (b: 1826), Jemina (b: 1828), Matthew (b: 1830), Maria (b: 1832), Matthew Robert (b: 1835), & Harriett (b: 1838). Based on baptismal records of their children, William was a tailor in Roos.

In the 1841 census, William was enumerated at Roos along with his wife Mary and their five youngest children. William died later that fall and was buried at Roos on October 7th, 1841. In the 1851 census, Mary, a widow, was living in Roos with her daughter Charlotte, a dressmaker. In the 1861 census, Mary was still in Roos, living with her daughters Charlotte and Jemina. She died at the age of 64 and was buried at Roos on March 19th, 1865.

William COCKERLINE (1802-1845)

This particular William has not been identified in the 1841 census, but rather this item from the October 10th, 1845 edition of the Hull Packet:

> Died: Mr. Wm. Cockerline, Oct. 3, at Ruston, near Scarborough, aged 42, of malignant small-pox.

Whether or not this individual is indeed a COCKERLINE is suspect. A search of the records sheds no light on his possible identity. There is no record of a William COCKERLINE being born in that time frame (round 1802) or an 1845 death record for a William COCKERLINE in Scarborough. There was; however, a William *COCKERILL* listed as born 1803 @ Scarborough and a death there of a William *COCKERILL* in 1845. For this reason, it is felt there was a transcription error on the part of the newspaper in which the surname was incorrectly reported.

William COCKERLINE (1812-1852)

Servant in East Riding Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #24], the sixth child of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) & Catherine AKE (1766-1817) was baptized at Welwick on June 28th, 1812. He never married and had no children.

At the time of the 1841 census records, William was enumerated as a servant working for and living with his brother Thomas in Welwick. In the 1851 census, William was a servant working for David BURNHAM of Plewland. He died of cholera and was buried at Welwick on August 27th, 1852.

William COCKERLINE (1818-1888)

Shoemaker in East Riding, Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #12] was baptized in Holmpton on December 20th, 1818, the son of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874) and Ann Jackson KEMP (1794-1889). While it has been possible to follow William through the census records, his life is somewhat more complicated. In a letter from William's father to John COCKERLINE in Canada, William Barrett COCKERLINE states, "*My family has most of them married except Miles, Kat & Wm but he has had 3 wives but he don't take them to church.*" So William had three common-law wives?

In the 1841 census for Patrington, William, a journeyman shoemaker was living with the family of Marmaduke WILKEN, a shoemaker. In the 1851 census, William was a visitor staying with the family of Richard HARRISON, an innkeeper on Quay Road in Bridlington. In 1861, William was in Kingston upon Hull where he was enumerated at 1, North Court. Enumerated with him were a 'wife', Elizabeth, and four children: Caroline (age 7), Frederick (age 5), William (age 3) & Helen (age 0). In the 1871 census, William was living with the family of Richard DUNN, a master shoemaker in Nunkeeling, ERY. In 1881, William was boarding with the family of Richard STONE, an iron miner in Easington. William in died Hull on Sept 3rd, 1888 and was buried in Holmpton on the 6th.

How many "wives" he had and how many children he had may remain a mystery for quite some time to come. However, one of his common-law wives has been identified, one tentatively identified and the third his father referred to is unidentified. But were there more?

William's first 'wife' was Jane PICKERING, the daughter James & Mary

PICKERING. In the 1851 census, Jane COCKERLINE, age 22, a charwoman, was living in Bridlington ERY with her widowed mother, Mary PICKERING. Enumerated with her was her son Herbert COCKERLINE (age 11 months). Over the next couple of census records, she was enumerated with other children, but William was never enumerated with the family. Jane's children – all enumerated as COCKERLINEs – were: Herbert (b: 1850), John W (b: 1854), Frederick (b: 1859), & James (b: 1861).

A second 'wife', Elizabeth, was identified in the 1861 census. In Hull, William & Elizabeth were enumerated with four children: Caroline (b: 1853), Frederick (b: 1856), William (b: 1857), & Helen (b: 1861). Elizabeth and her four children have not been identified in subsequent census records and it is presumed that they were enumerated under a different surname. Elizabeth's 'maiden' name is unknown. All that is currently known about her is that – based on the 1861 census – she was born in Holmpton about 1819.

William's third wife, as referred to by his father, remains unknown. Prior to the 1841 census, William had apprenticed and worked in Barton, Lancashire. Perhaps he had a common-law wife there. Then there is the possibility that William had additional 'wives' subsequent to his father's letter. Perhaps Frances BURRELL? Further research on William's life is merited.

William COCKERLINE (1820-1877)

Farm labourer in Welton, East Riding Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE was the 6th of nine children born to William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) & Tomlinson SIMPSON (1786-1866). He was baptized at Drypool on March 31st, 1820. At Welton, ERY on December 18th, 1849, William married Mary WHISKER (1820-1893). They had no children, though Mary had a prior daughter Martha born about 1843.

The Trouble with William

In the church record, two William COCKERLINEs have been identified as born in 1820:
* William COCKERLINE (1820-1877);
* William COCKERLINE (1820-1906).

Both have been identified in the 1851 census, both being farm servants.

In the 1841 census records, only one of the two William COCKERLINEs has been identified:
* William COCKERLINE (Household #16), farm servant

The problem is that it is not known which of the 2 Williams this was.

William may or may not have been identified in the 1841 census. (*See sidebar: The Trouble with William*) In the 1851, 1861 and 1871 census records, William & Mary were enumerated in Welton. William died there about

March 17th, 1877 and was buried in Welton on the 20th. Mary continued to live in Welton and in the 1881 census, she was enumerated as a housekeeper working for William PETTY, a retired farmer in the area. In the 1891 census, Mary was living by herself, being supported by the parish. At the age of 73, she died there and was buried in Welton on April 25th, 1893.

William COCKERLINE (1820-1906)

Farm Labourer in Owthorne, East Riding Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE was the eldest child of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hannah WILSON (1800-1888). He was baptized at Ottringham, ERY on November 26th, 1820. On December 10th, 1849, William married Elizabeth CUTHBERT at Holy Trinity Church. Over the next 14 years, they had 7 children: Anthony (b: 1850), Hannah (b: 1852), George (b: 1853), William (b: 1857), William (b: 1858), Grace (b: 1860), & John (b: 1863).

William is the only child of William COCKERLINE & Hannah WILSON who did not go to Canada. In the 1841 census, William may have been identified in household #16 at Patrington (*See the sidebar The Trouble with William, pg 103*). In the 1851, 1861, & 1871 census records, William – a farm labourer – his wife, and children were enumerated on Arthur Street in Owthorne Village. Elizabeth died at Withernsea on June 7th, 1880 and was buried at Ottringham. In the 1881 census, William was still at Arthur Street in Owthorne village, living with the family of his son, George. In the 1891 census, William was living with his daughter Hannah and her family at Patrington. Then in 1901, he was again living with his son George and his family at Sunk Island, ERY.

William died at Weeton on May 7th, 1906 and was buried with his wife in Ottringham. From the tombstone inscription in St Wilfred's churchyard:

> In / loving memory of / William COCKERLINE / who died at Weeton / May 7th 1906 / aged 86 years
>
> Also Elizabeth his wife / who died at Withernsea June 7th 1880 / age 56 years
>
> Also Susannah CRAWFORD / granddaughter of the above / who died at Withernsea / May 30th 1880 / aged 6 years.

William COCKERLINE (1824-1851)

Cabinetmaker in Myton, East Riding, Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #32] was the 10th of 12 children born to John COCKERLINE (1781-1834) & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872) of Hedon, ERY. He was born at Hedon on March 4th, 1824 and baptized at the Independent

Tabernacle in Sculcoates on July 3rd, 1828. In the 1841 census, William, a cabinetmaker, was single and living at home with his widowed mother, Mary COCKERLINE, in Myton.

From the May 17th 1844 edition of the Hull Advertiser and Exchange Gazette, we learn that William had been in a significant accident, the details of which were partially described in the article:

> Since our last the names of the three men who suffered by the gig accident last week on the Beverly Road have been ascertained. They are Harris, Cockerline, and Anderson. James Harris–the man who has received the most serious injuries–is a native of Guilden Morden in Cambridgeshire, but has for the last seven years resided in Hull and been employed as a laborer to builders. It is still fear he will never regain his mental facilities; he does not appear to have the slightest knowledge of his brother, who has repeatedly visited him, and is altogether as helpless as a newborn child. He has not spoken one word. He is about 31 or 32 years of age, said to be of temperate habits, and had not previously exhibited any symptoms of insanity. William Cockerline is a young man about 20 years of age, living in Siminson's building, Little Queen Street, Paragon Street, and is apprenticed to Mr. Stockdale, cabinetmaker; he was accompanied by a youth named Pickering, apprenticed to a joiner, who was knocked down but escaped unhurt. Cockerline was much cut and bruised about the face–he has ever since been under the care of Mr. Locking, Surgeon and is doing well but is not yet considered out of danger nor in any fit condition to leave his house. Mr. Anderson – the third of the sufferers – is a tailor, residing in Ordinance place, Drypool. He was walking in company with Harris when the accident occurred. He has (though less disfigured) receive more serious injuries than Cockerline and it will be some considerable time before he can fully recover; the wheel passed over his back and head, nearly in the line of the spine and he has received some internal injuries, But, under the care of Mr. Bolter, is preceding favourably. The parties who were in the gig are known but, for obvious reasons we do not publish their names.

In the 1851 census, William was living with his mother on Little Queen Street in Myton. One month later, on April 29th, 1851 William died and was buried at Holy Trinity in Hull on May 4th of that year. According to his death certificate, he had been suffering from Hemiplegia for about a month and died of paralysis.

William Thomas COCKERLINE (1824-1888)

Brewer in Barrie, Simcoe County, Ontario

The identity of the William COCKERLINE in Household #12 is uncertain, but this is likely William Thomas COCKERLINE of Roos. Several parts of the census page are difficult to read as the ink has faded and some parts have been written over. William's age is difficult to decipher. His age has been interpreted as 16, but on

close examination his age looks more likely to be 26 or even perhaps 36. This researcher feels William's age was recorded as 26.

Being age 26 matches with the William Thomas COCKERLINE baptized at Roos on October 3rd, 1824. He was the 2nd of 8 children born to William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865). That the William COCKERLINE in Household #12 entry was indeed William Thomas COCKERLINE of Roos is reinforced by the fact that in the 1841 census, there is no other probable enumeration for William of Roos.

On December 21st, 1849, he married Elizabeth ATKINSON of Skeffling, the daughter of George & Isabella ATKINSON. In 1851, William and his wife were enumerated in Skeffling. Two years later, his wife died and was buried in Skeffling on August 26th, 1853. They had no children. From the parish register of Skeffling, ERY:

> Elizabeth Cockerline of Skeffling, buried August twenty-six, age thirty-one

At some point shortly after the death of his wife, William emigrated to Canada. In the 1861 census for Canada West, William was enumerated living with the family of his uncle Robert COCKERLINE in East Gwilliambury, York County. William has not been found in the 1871 census records, but in 1881, he was enumerated living by himself in Barrie, Simcoe County, Ontario where he was listed as a brewer. There is no evidence that he ever remarried and there are no known children. He died there on October 30th, 1888. From the November 8th edition of the Northern Advance of Barrie, Simcoe County, Ontario, this item:

> Died: COCKERLINE – In Barrie, on the 30th Oct 1888, W T COCKERLINE, aged 65 years.

William Hindes COCKERLINE (1828-1873)

Rully man & Porter in Hull, Yorkshire

William Hindes COCKERLINE [Household #17] was baptized at Patrington, ERY on February 3rd, 1828, the son of Mary COCKERLINE, spinster & Timothy BUCHAN, a fishmonger in Hull. The identity of William's mother is uncertain, but is thought to be Mary COCKERLINE (1806-1880), the daughter of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Elizabeth ATKINSON (unknown-1790). William Hindes COCKERLINE never married and had no children.

In the 1841 census, William was enumerated at the Patrington Union Workhouse. In 1861, William, a rully man, was enumerated at the Anlaby Workhouse. In 1871, William, a porter, was enumerated at the Hull Workhouse. Of note, the 1871 census indicated that William was blind. He died in Hull on

February 6th, 1873. From the Hull Packet and East Riding Times (Hull, ENGLAND), Friday, February 14, 1873; Issue 4597, this notice:

Deaths: COCKERLINE - Feb 6th, at Hull, aged 46 years, Mr. William COCKERLINE

William COCKERLINE (1829-1911)

Carriage maker & Undertaker in LaColle, Quebec

William COCKERLINE [Household #38] was born in South Stainley, ERY on October 5th, 1832 and baptized there on Oct 11th. He was the 3rd of 8 children born to John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary JACKSON (1803-1869). In October of 1833, the family set out for Canada East, settling first in the hamlet of Bogton in the Seigniory of Lacolle, south of Montreal. The 1841 census records for the area no longer exist, but in 1851 William (age 22) was enumerated living with his parents and siblings in St Bernard de LaColle.

On March 16th, 1859, William married Janet GRAY, the daughter of James GRAY (1806-1882) & Barbara WILSON (1811-1879) of Windham, Norfolk County, Canada West. In the 1861 census for St Bernard de Lacolle in St Jean County, Quebec, William, his wife Janet and his brother were listed as carriage makers. By the time of the 1871 census, brother John had departed for the United States and William and his wife were enumerated with their three children: Lillian Barbara (b: 1863); James Fletcher (b: 1866), & John William (b: 1869). In the 1881 census records, William and his family were still in St Bernard de LaColle. His wife died there on April 25th, 1882 and was buried in the Henrysburg Cemetery.

Three years after the death of his wife, William married Mildred PAINE (1846-1929) of Henrysburg. In the 1891 and 1901 census records, the couple had moved to Clarenceville, Missisquoi County, Quebec where William continued his carriage business but also served as an undertaker. When William retired, he and Mildred moved to Bedford, Missisquoi County where he died on February 11th, 1911. according to his grandson, Elliott COCKERLINE (1913-2001), his body was held in the crypt at Bedford Cemetery but was later buried in Union Cemetery in Clarenceville. While no middle name has ever been noted in any civil or church documents, Elliott found a nameplate in that crypt in Bedford: William J COCKERLINE. Was this nameplate for William COCKERLINE or his son John William COCKERLINE?

After William's death, Mildred moved back to Henrysburg where she was enumerated with her brother David PAINE in the 1911 & 1921 census records. She died in Henrysburg on December 17th, 1929 and was buried in Union

Cemetery in Clarenceville.

William COCKERLINE (1836-1857)

French polisher in Hull, Yorkshire

William COCKERLINE [Household #28] was baptized at Hedon on Oct 10th, 1836. He was the third child of Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864) & Sarah ROBINSON (abt 1804-1887). In the 1841 census William (age 4) was enumerated along with his family at St Augustine Gate, Hedon, but the family has not yet been found in the 1851 census records. On September 18th, 1857, William died. From the September 25th, 1857 edition of the Hull Packet & East Riding Times:

> Deaths: September 18th, in this town, aged 20 years, William, second son of Mr. Robert COCKERLINE, brewer.

According to his death certificate, William was a French polisher and had been suffering from phthisis (tuberculosis) for about 3 months at the time of death. He was buried in Myton on September 20th, 1857.

COCKERLINE Family Clusters in 1841

Typically, surnames do not occur spontaneously. The assumption is that all of the COCKERLINEs alive in 1841 derived their surname from some ancestral COCKERLINE. So a question arises: What can the COCKERLINEs identified in the 1841 census tell us about the origins of the surname? To answer this question, the COCKERLINEs identified in the 1841 census were organized into family groups. Nineteen spouses were identified, so there are likely to be at least that many families. But in that many of the heads of families were siblings, some closely related families might be organized into clusters. These clusters are not likely to lead back to a single common ancestor, but identifying clusters may provide valuable clues about the distribution of the surname.

In 1841, the worldwide occurrence of the COCKERLINE surname appears to have been limited to a mere 124 individuals. Of these, 19 COCKERLINEs were spouses who took on their husband's surname when they had married. Another 6 were strays whose documented surname is suspect or otherwise could not be verified.

Spouses

The 19 spouses (i.e. families) identified in the 1841 census were:

- Ann KEMP was the wife of William Barrett COCKERLINE (1792-1874), a shoemaker in Holmpton
- Ann MANGHAM was the wife of Charles COCKERLINE (1822-1867), a brewer's servant in Hull
- Eliza CATON was the wife of Edmund COCKERLINE (1811-1868), a joiner in Sculcoates
- Elizabeth ATKINSON was the wife of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839), a labourer in Holmpton
- Elizabeth MASON was the 2nd wife of John COCKERLINE-AKE (1797-1866), a carpenter in Welwick
- Esther BARRETT was the wife of William COCKERLINE (1761-1845), an agricultural labourer in Holmpton
- Frances MAY was the wife of John COCKERLINE (1807-1867), a tailor in Hull
- Hannah WILSON was the 2nd wife of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841), a blacksmith and carrier in Ottringham
- Hannah SIMPSON was the wife of Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871), an innkeeper in Welwick

- Martha FOSTER was the wife of Thomas COCKERLINE (1792-1869), a tailor of Thornhill, Ontario
- Mary PRESTON was the wife of Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833), a brewer in Sculcoates
- Mary Ann THOMPSON was the wife of John COCKERLINE (1782-1863), a butcher in Kingston upon Hull
- Mary BURRELL was the wife of Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866), farmer of Keyingham
- Mary ELLARBY was the wife of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841), a tailor in Roos
- Mary Ann JACKSON was the wife of John COCKERLINE (1797-1875), a farmer in St Bernard de LaColle, Canada East
- Mary SHARPE was the wife of James COCKERLINE (1816-1890), a Wine Merchant Foreman of Preston by Hedon
- Mercy HOBSON was the wife of Robert COCKERLINE (1803-1857), a gardener in Ottringham
- Nancy WILKINSON (1822-1913 was the wife of Thomas COCKERLINE (1818-1899), a gardener in Roos;
- Sarah ROBINSON was the wife of Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864), a brewer in Hedon
- Tomlinson SIMPSON was the wife of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853), an agricultural labourer in Preston by Hedon in Hedon

Strays

There were 6 “COCKERLINEs” who could not be properly identified. Either an ancestral link was unclear or there has been no other record could be found to collaborate their surname. Some of these individuals have been identified in the 1841 census, but others have been identified in newspaper items or in church records.

These strays may or may not have been COCKERLINEs as there is the possibility of recording errors. For example, the William COCKERLINE (1802-1845) identified in the Hull obituaries is most likely William COCKERILL of Scarborough. And in the case of Robert COCKERLINE (*dates unknown*), it is quite probable that this is a duplicate entry with his 1823 marriage simply being a first marriage that has not been properly attributed.

- David COCKERLINE (*Household #20*) => Status as a COCKERLINE doubted. Thought to be David COCKERILL
- Fanny COCKERLINE née (*1811-1855*) => Fanny’s 1855 death is thought

to be for the wife of John COCKERILL

- John COCKERLINE (*Household #3*) => One of these 3 John COCKERLINEs

John COCKERLINE (*Household #21*) (*household #3, #21, and #25*) is thought to have
John COCKERLINE (*Household #25*) been a double enumeration

- John COCKERLINE (*Household #11*) => a COCKERLINE, but father unknown
- Robert COCKERLINE (*dates unknown*) => Robert was a COCKERLINE, but his 1823 marriage to Mary CHAPMAN is thought to be an unattributed marriage to an otherwise identified Robert COCKERLINE
- William COCKERLINE (1802-1845) => Status as a COCKERLINE doubted. Williams death as identified in an 1845 newspaper item is suspect. He is thought to be William COCKERILL (1802-1845) of Scarborough

Ancestral Groups

There were 118 identifiable COCKERLINEs alive in the year 1841 (*124 individuals less 6 "strays"*). Many of these COCKERLINEs were children, brothers, sisters, mothers, or fathers to other COCKERLINEs identified in the census records. So, how many family clusters were there in the year 1841?

To determine this, the identifiable COCKERLINEs were clustered based on known family relationships. From this process, nine (9) family groups have been identified – all in the East Riding of Yorkshire. The head of each of these 9 families represents an ancestral COCKERLINE to others in the 1841 census. In other words, in 1841 the COCKERLINE surname can be traced back to just 9 ancestral individuals. These were:

- Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) & Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857) of Drypool, ERY
- John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) & Catherine AKE (1766-1827) of Welwick, ERY
- Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & Ann WILSON (1761-1840) of Hollym, ERY
- William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) & Esther BARRETT (1761-1845) of Holmpton, ERY
- Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833) & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872) of Sculcoates, ERY
- John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) & Mary Ann THOMPSON (1783-1846) of Hull, ERY
- William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) & Tomlinson SIMPSON (1786-1866) of Hedon, ERY
- Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) & Mary BURRELL (1789-1852) of Keyingham, ERY
- William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) & Hannah WILSON (1800-1888) of Ottringham, ERY

The Family of William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) of Holmpton

William was a farm labourer in Holmpton. At Welwick in 1787, he married Esther BARRETT. They had 6 children: Thomas, Elizabeth, William Barrett, Thomas, John, & Esther. The first child, Thomas, died as an infant. The 5 surviving children all married and bore the couple 37 grandchildren, though many of the grandchildren were born after 1841. In the 1841 census, twenty-six of the 118 identified COCKERLINEs were from this family group. Descendants carrying the COCKERLINE surname are currently living in England, Canada, and the United Stares.

Family of William & Esther COCKERLINE in the 1841 census

William COCKERLINE (1761-1845) & Esther BARRETT (1761-1845)

> William B COCKERLINE (1792-1874) & Ann J KEMP (1794-1889)

>> John (1816-1851) & Jane MURRAY (1820-1850)

>>> Agnes (1841-1920)

>> William (1818-1888)

>> Robert (1821-1898)

>> Eliza (1823-1902)

>> Thomas (1825-1850)

>> Henry Kemp (1827-1893)

>> Frederick (1830-1898)

>> Miles (1832-1897)

>> Catherine (1835-1925)

> Thomas (1794-1869) & Martha FOSTER (1800-*unknown*)

> John COCKERLINE (1797-1875) & Mary JACKSON (1803-1869)

>> Ann (1823-1877)

>> Esther (1825-1903)

>> William J (1829-1911)

>> John (1832-1914)

>> Mary (1835-1902)

>> Elizabeth (1838-1871)

>> Charles W (1841-1918)

The Family of Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833) of Sculcoates

Just 8 years before the 1841 census, Robert died in Sculcoates at the age of 52. His wife Mary PRESTON: however, lived to the respectable age of 88 years old. She was enumerated in the 1841, 1851, 1861, and 1871 census records. The couple had married at Patrington in 1802. In the following 26 years, Robert & Mary had 12 children: James, Mary, John, Robert, Edmund, Ann, James, George, Charles, William, Isabella, & Henry.

Their first two children, James and Mary, died in infancy but all the subsequent children survived and were enumerated in the 1841 & 1851 census records. Seven of these 10 children married and, in total, they bore Robert & Mary 33 grandchildren. Of these grandchildren, though, only the children of their sons bore grandchildren with the surname COCKERLINE. Twenty-two of the 118 COCKERLINEs identified in 1841 census derived their surname through him.

Family of Robert & Mary COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833)* & Mary PRESTON (1784-1872)

> John COCKERLINE (1807-1867) & Frances MAY (1805-1878)

>> Mary Susannah (1831-unknown)

>> Anne (1833-1909)

>> Robert Edward (1836-1900)

>> John (1841-1864)

> Robert COCKERLINE (1809-1864) & Sarah ROBINSON (abt 1804-1887)

>> Ester Ann (1833-1868)

>> George (1834-1860)

>> William (1836-1857)

>> John (1840-1871)

> Edmund COCKERLINE (1811-1868) & Eliza CATON (1806-1863)

>> Betsy (1840-1903)

> James (1816-1894)

> George (1820-1858)

> Charles (1822-1867) & Ann MANGHAM (1821-1844)

> William (1824-1851)

> Isabella (1826-1876)
> Henry (1828-1898)

** Died before the 1841 census*

The Family of Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) of Hollym

Thomas was an agricultural worker in Hollym. At Hessle in 1789, he married Ann WILSON. Between 1790 and 1802, they had 10 children: Mary, Elizabeth, Thomas, Robert, William, Hannah, Ann, Harriet, Maria, & Matthew.

All their children survived to adulthood. Most of their children married and at least 27 grandchildren are known, though most were born after 1841. While not all their children's families have been adequately documented, no additional grandchildren can be linked back to this family unit. In all, including Thomas himself, seventeen (17) of the COCKERLINEs enumerated in the 1841 census were in this family group.

Thomas' wife died the year before the census but Thomas himself lived until 1854. Enumerated as COCKERLINEs in the 1841 census were 7 children of their son William and one child, Matthew Bird COCKERLINE of their daughter Ann.

Family of Thomas & Ann COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

Thomas COCKERLINE (1759-1854) & *Ann WILSON* (1761-1840)*

> Thomas (1792-1854)
> Robert (1793-1877)
> William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) & Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865)
>> Charlotte ELLARBY (1822-1871)
>> William Thomas (1824-1888)
>> Mary Ann (1826-1903)
>>> Joseph (1841-1841)
>> Jemina (1828-1899)
>> Maria (1832-1842)
>> Matthew Robert (1835-1915)
>> Harriet (1838-1902)
> Ann (1797-1866)
>> Matthew Bird (1832-1901)
> Maria (1800-1887)
> Matthew (1802-1878)

** Died before the 1841 census*

The Family of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) of Welwick

John was a carpenter in Welwick. Though both he and his wife Catherine had died well before the 1841 census, five of their sons were enumerated living in close proximity to each other in Welwick, ERY. Three of the sons never married and had no children. Fourteen (14) of the COCKERLINEs enumerated in the 1841 census were in this family group.

Family of John & Catherine COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) & Catherine AKE* (1766-1827)*

> John COCKERLINE-AKE (1797-1866) & Elizabeth MASON (1794-1868)

>> Francis COCKERLINE-AKE (1834-1846)

> Martin COCKERLINE-AKE (1799-1867)

>Thomas COCKERLINE (1801-1871) & Hannah SIMPSON (1802-1860)

>> George (1826-1895)

>> Ann (1829-1898)

>> Catherine (1831-1907)

>> Thomas (1836-1926)

>> John (1839-1844)

>> Anthony (1841-1885)

> George (1806-1853)

> William (1812-1852)

** Died before the 1841 census*

The Family of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) of Drypool

Robert had married three times. Robert and his first two wives had died before the 1841 census. Robert's 3rd wife, Elizabeth, was living in Drypool, ERY, as were five of their children. Also enumerated in the 1841 census for Ottringham was Robert Jr., a child of Robert's second wife, Mary CHAPMAN.

There are no living descendants of Robert who bear the COCKERLINE surname. While Robert himself married 3 times and had 8 children, his children were decidedly celibate. Only three of his children married and, in total, only 3 grandchildren have been documented. Only nine (9) of the COCKERLINEs enumerated in the 1841 census were in this family group.

Family of Robert & Elizabeth COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839)* & Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857)

> Mary (1806 –1880)

>> William Hindes (1828-1873)

> David (1810-1877)

> Emanuel (1813-1876)

> Samuel (1815-1879)

> James (1820-1851)

Also enumerated was a son by Robert's previous wife *Mary CHAPMAN* (1760-1803)*

> Robert (1803-1857) & Mercy HOBSON (1812-1868)

** Died before the 1841 census*

The Family of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) of Hedon

William was a farm labourer living in Hedon, ERY. At Leven in 1809, he married Tomlinson SIMPSON. Over the course of the next 14 years, they had 9 children. Their six daughters did not live to adulthood. Son William married, but had no children of his own. Sons James & Thomas each married in 1841 and, between the two of them, had 12 children, though only one was born before the time of the 1841 census. Of the COCKERLINEs enumerated in the 1841 census, only eight (8) of the identified COCKERLINEs in the census have been linked in this family group.

Family of William & Tomlinson COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

> William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) & Tomlinson SIMPSON (1786-1866)

> James COCKERLINE (1816-1890) & Mary SHARPE (1822-1873)

>> Elizabeth (1841-1897)

> Thomas (1818-1899) & Ann WILKINSON (1822-1913)

> William (1820-1877)

The Family of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) of Ottringham

William was a blacksmith and carrier in Ottringham. At Sutton in 1820, he married Hepsibah THOMPSON. She died about a month after the death of their first child,. Four years later at Ottringham, William married Hannah WILSON of Kilnsea. They had 7 children: William, John, Hepsibah, Anthony Johnson, Robert, George, & Robert. Of the 6 who survived infancy, all married and in total, bore the couple 55 grandchildren, though all the grandchildren were born after 1841. Consequently, in the year 1841, just eight (8) of the 118 COCKERLINEs identified in the 1841 census were linked to this family group. Descendants of this couple live in England, Canada, and the United States.

Family of William & Hannah COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) & Hannah WILSON (1800-1888)

> William (1820-1906)
> John (1822-1899)
> Hepsibah (1824-1911)
> Anthony Johnson (1826-1901)
> George (1830-1897)
> Robert (1833-1891)

The Family of John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) of Hull

John was a butcher in Hull. At Myton in 1813, John married the widow Mary Ann THOMPSON. They had 5 children: Christiana, Henry, Amelia, John , & Christiana Easter.

Their first two children, Christiana & Henry, died as young children but the three other children survived and were enumerated in the 1841 & 1851 census records. Just five (5) of the 118 COCKERLINEs known to be alive in the year 1841 were in this family group. The 3 surviving children married and had children. John & Mary had seven grandchildren, but all born after 1841.

Family of John & Mary Ann COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) & Mary Ann THOMPSON (1783-1846)
> Amelia (1817-1874)
> John (1820-1905)
> Christiana Easter (1823-1907)

The Family of Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866)

Robert was a farmer in Keyingham, ERY. In 1811, he married Mary BURRELL of Keyingham. They had 8 children, but four died in childhood. Two surviving daughters had married, leaving only the two youngest children at home. Of the COCKERLINEs enumerated in the 1841 census, only four (4) were connected to this family group.

While they had several grandchildren via their surviving daughters, their one surviving son had no children. There are no living descendants of Robert who bear the COCKERLINE surname.

The Family of Robert & Mary COCKERLINE identified in the 1841 census

Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) & Mary BURRELL (1789-1852)

> John Carrick (1824-1870)

> Elizabeth (1827-1905)

Addendum: 1800 to 1841

There were twenty-five COCKERLINEs who were born at the beginning of the 19th century but did not live to be enumerated in the 1841 census. All were born in the East Riding of Yorkshire. Twenty-four of these did not live beyond adolescence. One of the twenty-five, Mary (1818-1838), died at 19 years of age. Her identity is unknown and it has not yet been determined whether she was a COCKERLINE by birth or by marriage.

With the inclusion of these twenty-five individuals, all COCKERLINEs born during the first four decades of the 1800 have been included in this first volume of The Cockerline Compendium. Subsequent volumes will document all known COCKERLINEs in the 1700s (Volume 2) and the 1600s (Volume 3).

Ann COCKERLINE (1808-1815)

Ann was the daughter of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) and Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857) of Patrington. From the Parish Records for Patrington, ERY:

1808 Ann, dau. of Robert and Elizabeth Cockerline baptized 8 May

From the Parish Records for Holmpton, ERY:

1815 Ann Cockerline, of Patrington, buried March 31, age 6

Ann COCKERLINE (1808-1811)

Ann was the daughter of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) and Catherine AKE (1766-1827) of Welwick. From the Parish Records for Welwick, ERY:

1808 Ann, dau of John Cockerline, carpenter, born 11 Aug, baptized 14 Aug

1811 Ann, dau of John Cockerline, carpenter, buried 27 Apr

Ann COCKERLINE (1821-1825)

Ann was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) and Tomlinson SIMPSON (1775-1857) of Preston by Hedon. From the Parish Records for Preston by Hedon, ERY:

1821 Baptized, Dec 18th Ann, dau of William & Tomlison Cockerline, labourer

1825 Ann, dau of William & Tomlison Cockerline, labourer of Preston, buried Jan'y

22nd, age 3

Charles COCKERLINE (1806-1821)

Charles was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1756-1839) and Elizabeth ATKINSON (1775-1857) of Patrington. From the Parish Records for Patrington, ERY:

1806 Charles and Mary, twins of Robert and Elizabeth Cockerline baptized 19 Feb

From the Parish Records for Welwick, ERY:

1821 Aug 3 - Charles Cockerline of Welwick, 15 years, buried

Elizabeth COCKERLINE (1803-1804)

Elizabeth was the daughter of Thomas COCKERLINE (1779-1803) and Mary ATKINSON (1770-1825) of Skeffling. From the Parish Records for Skeffling, ERY:

1803 Sep 25th, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Cockerline, Labourer, baptized

1804 Feb 3, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Cockerline, Labourer, buried

Emma COCKERLINE (1821-1823)

Emma was the daughter of Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) and Mary BURRELL (1789-1852) of Keyingham. From the Parish Records for Keyingham, ERY:

1821 Baptized, 22nd December Emma, daughter of Robert & Mary Cockerline of Kayingham, Labourer

1823 Buried April 13 Emma Cockerline, Keyingham, 1 year

George COCKERLINE (1828-1828)

George was the son of Elizabeth COCKERLINE (1800-unknown) and Thomas SOULSBY of Patrington. From the Parish Records for Patrington, ERY:

1828 George, son of Elizabeth Cockerline, spinster, of Patrington chr. 23 Mar

1828 George, son of Elizabeth Cockerline, infant, of Patrington bur. 31 Aug

Hannah COCKERLINE (1814-1825)

Hannah was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) and Tomlinson SIMPSON (1775-1857) of Preston by Hedon. From the Parish Records for Preston by Hedon, ERY:

1814 Mar 13th Hannah, daughter of William & Tomlison Cockerline, labourer, baptized

1825 Hannah, dau of William & Tomlison Cockerline, labourer of Preston, buried Feb'y 18th, age 10

Harriet COCKERLINE (1823-1826)

Harriet was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) and Tomlinson SIMPSON (1775-1857) of Preston by Hedon. From the Parish Records for Preston by Hedon, ERY:

1823 July 1st Harriet, daughter of William & Tomlison Cockerline, labourer, baptized

1826 Oct 5th, dau of William & Tomlison Cockerline, labourer, of Preston, buried, age 3

Henry COCKERLINE (1814-1818)

Henry was the son of John COCKERLINE (1782-1863) and the widow Mary Ann THOMPSON (1783-1846) of Hull. From the Parish Records for Holy Trinity Church, Hull, ERY:

1814 December the 15th, Henry, the son of John & Mary Ann Cockerline of Blanket Row, Butcher, Baptized

1818 Henry, son of John Cockerline of Blanket Row (Hull), age 3¾ years, Buried October 1st

Hephziba COCKERLINE (1816-1816)

Hephziba was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hephziba THOMPSON (1794-1816) of Sutton on Hull. From the Parish Records for Sutton, ERY:

1816 Feb'y 27th Hephziba, D of William & Hephziba Cockerline, blacksmith of Sutton, Baptized

1816 March 6th Hephziba Cockerline of Sutton, age 1 week, buried

Isabella COCKERLINE (1813-1813)

Isabella was the daughter of Margaret COCKERLINE (1791-1823) of Easington. From the Parish Records for Easington, ERY:

1813 Isabella, ill. dau. of Margaret Cockerline, mantlemaker, baptized 4 Feb

1813 Infant, dau. of Margaret Cockerline, spinster, buried 2 Mar

James COCKERLINE (1804-1804)

James was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833) and Mary PRESTON (1784-1872) of Patrington. From the Parish Records for Patrington, ERY:

1804 James, son of Robert Cockerline ,cooper, and Mary his wife, baptized 27 May

1804 July 29th. James, son of Robert and Mary Cockerline, cooper, and Mary, his wife, buried

James COCKERLINE (1812-1813)

James was the son of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) and Tomlinson SIMPSON (1775-1857) of Patrington. From the Parish Records for Patrington, ERY:

1812 Jan'ry 12th James the son of William Cockerline, Labourer, by Tomlinson his wife, baptized

1813 James the son of William Cockerline, buried Aug 15th, age 18 months

Mary COCKERLINE (1805-1806)

Mary was the daughter of Robert COCKERLINE (1781-1833) and Mary PRESTON (1784-1872) of Patrington. From the Parish Records for Patrington, ERY:

1805 Mary, dau. of Robert and Mary Cockerline christened 7 Jul, baptized

1806 April 24th Mary, dau. of Robert and Mary Cockerline

Mary COCKERLINE (1814-1816)

Mary was the daughter of Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) and Mary BURRELL (1789-1852) of Keyingham. From the Parish Records for Keyingham, ERY:

1814 Baptized, 9th Feb'y Mary, daughter of Robert & Mary Cockerline, of Kayingham, Labourer

1816 Buried March 14, Mary Cockerline, Kayingham, 2 years

Mary COCKERLINE (1818-1838)

Mary's ancestry is unknown. Whether COCKERLINE was her maiden name or her married name is uncertain. From the Parish Records for St Mary's Church, Sculcoates, ERY:

1838 Mary Cockerline of Charter House Lane, buried Feb 25th, age 19

Mary Jane COCKERLINE (1840-1840)

Mary Jane was the daughter of Edmund COCKERLINE (1811-1868) and Jane MARRIS (1815-1840) of Kirk Ella near Hull. From the Parish Records for Kirk Ella, ERY:

1840 Jan'y 6th, Mary Jane, daughter of Edmund & Jane Cockerline, Joiner of Analby, Baptized

1840 Mary Jane Cockerline of Winterton, Lincolnshire, buried Feb'y 28th, age 2 months

Matthew COCKERLINE (1830-1830)

Matthew was the son of William COCKERLINE (1795-1841) and Mary ELLARBY (1800-1865) of Roos. From the Parish Records for Roos, ERY:

1830 July 15th, Matthew, the son of William & Mary Cockerline, tailor of Roos, baptized

1830 Matthew Cockerline of Roos, infant, buried Nov 25th

Nancy COCKERLINE (1810-1819)

Nancy was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) and Tomlinson SIMPSON (1775-1857) of Preston by Hedon. From the Parish Records for Preston by Hedon, ERY:

1810 Oct 14th Nancy, daughter of William Cockerline, labourer, by Tomlinson, his wife, baptized

1819 July 30th Nancy, daughter of William Cockerline, miller of Sutton, buried, age 8

Rebecca COCKERLINE (1828-1838)

Rebecca was the daughter of William COCKERLINE (1786-1853) and Tomlinson SIMPSON (1775-1857) of Preston by Hedon. From the Parish Records for Preston by Hedon, ERY:

1828 July 8th Rebecca, daughter of William & Tomlinson Cockerline, Labourer of Preston, baptized

1838 Rebecca Cockerline of Preston, buried Oct 20th, age 10

Robert COCKERLINE (1828-1828)

Robert was the son of William COCKERLINE (1792-1841) and Hannah WILSON (1800-1888) of Myton. No baptism has been found for Robert, but his burial records suggests he was born about February of 1828. From the Parish Records for Holy Trinity Church, Hull, ERY:

1828 Robert, son of Will'm Cockerline of Myton, buried Jun 22nd, age 4 months

Thomas COCKERLINE (1819-1823)

Mary was the daughter of Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) and Mary BURRELL (1789-1852) of Keyingham. From the Parish Records for Keyingham, ERY:

1819 12th Sept'r - Thomas, son of Robert & Mary Cockerline, of Kayingham, Labourer, baptized

1823 Jun 14, Thomas Cockerline, Keyingham, 3 years

William COCKERLINE (1803-1807)

William was the son of John COCKERLINE (1758-1817) and Catherine AKE (1766-1827) of Welwick. From the Parish Records for Welwick, ERY:

1803 William, son of John Cockerline, wright, baptized 07 Aug

1807 Aug 11th William, son of John Cockerline, wright

William COCKERLINE (1831-1834)

William was the son of Robert COCKERLINE (1786-1866) and Mary BURRELL (1789-1852) of Keyingham. From the Parish Records for Keyingham, ERY:

1831 Aug 7th William, son of Robert & Mary Cockerline, of Kayingham, Lab'r

1834 William Cockerline of Kayingham, buried Oct 28th, 3 years

Random Facts from the Past

The details from the 1841 census and parish records allow for two unique insights into that time period. One insight relates to a cultural shift in the use of given names. A second insight relates to life expectancy in the 1800s.

The Use of Given Names

Of the 124 COCKERLINE documented in 1841, 40 different given names have been identified. A few COCKERLINEs had middle names, but in many cases, the second name appears to have been an ancestral surname. Examples of this can been seen in names such as Anthony Johnson COCKERLINE and John Carrick COCKERLINE. Middle names like George and William were probably given names, but Robert and Thomas can also be surnames. So is the Thomas in William Thomas COCKERLINE a nod to an ancestral surname or is it a given name? It is likely a given name … maybe. For this reason, only a person's first name was considered in this analysis:

Agnes	1	Frances /		Martha	1
Amelia	1	Francis	3	Martin	1
Ann / Anne	8	Frederick	1	Mary / Mary	
Anthony	2	George	6	Ann	10
Betsey	1	Hannah	2	Matthew	3
Catherine	2	Harriet	1	Mercy	1
Charles	2	Henry	2	Miles	1
Charlotte	1	Hepsibah	1	Robert	8
Christiana	1	Isabella	1	Samuel	1
David	1	Jane	1	Sarah	1
Edmund	1	James	3	Thomas	7
Eliza /		Jemina	1	Tomlinson	1
Elizabeth	7	John	14	William	15
Emanuel	1	Joseph	1		
Esther	3	Maria	2		

Name shifts over time

Noted in the records was a significant shift in the use of given names after 1800. In the 1841 census, 22 people were noted as being born before 1800. Of those,

the frequency of given names was significantly different than represented above.
For men, the only given names were:

William (5); John (4); Thomas (3); & Robert (2).

For women, the only given names were:

Mary / Mary Ann (3); Ann / Anne (2); Elizabeth (2); & Esther (1).

Age at Death

The criteria set for this statistic is that individuals had to be alive at some point in the year 1841. There were certainly many COCKERLINEs who died young – for example, all eight children of Jemina COCKERLINE (1828-1899). Her children weren't included in this age-at-death analysis as they were all born after 1841.

Age at Death for the 124 COCKERLINEs identified as alive in 1841.

All COCKERLINEs	
Age at Death	
0 – 9	2
10 – 19	2
20 – 29	6
30 – 39	8
40 – 49	11
50 – 59	13
60 – 69	26
70 – 79	23
80 – 89	19
90 – 99	5
Avg. Age at Death	**62**

Males	
Age at Death	
0 – 9	2
10 – 19	1
20 – 29	5
30 – 39	4
40 – 49	9
50 – 59	5
60 – 69	18
70 – 79	12
80 – 89	11
90 – 99	2
Avg. Age at Death	**60**

Females	
Age at Death	
0 – 9	0
10 – 19	1
20 – 29	1
30 – 39	4
40 – 49	2
50 – 59	8
60 – 69	8
70 – 79	11
80 – 89	8
90 – 99	3
Avg. Age at Death	**65**

Over the past two centuries, live expectancy has increased significantly. Based on the 2019 United Nations report on life expectancy *"Human Development Report 2019" (PDF)*, life expectancy has increased by about 20 years – to about 83 years of age for women and 79 years of age for men. It is now common for people to reach their 90th birthday, but given the medical advances in the past two centuries, reaching such a milestone is not as momentous as it once was. In the 1840s, cholera outbreaks were common. There were no surgeries for appendicitis or for cholecystitis. It was an era without antibiotics, a time when a simple sliver could lead to an infection resulting in blood poisoning, amputation, or death. By 21st century standards, life in the 1840s was harsh, yet some of these folks survived into their 80s and 90s. These early octogenarians and nonagenarians were hardy!